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V I R U S

VIRUS
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"THE ACCESS TO EVERYTHING THAT COULD TEACH YOU SOMETHING ABOUT HOW THE WORLD WORKS SHOULD BE UNLIMITED AND COMPLETE."
"ALL THE INFORMATION SHOULD BE FREE."
VIRUS
SO LONG, LOSERS! SEE YOU TOMORROW, MAYBE!
ERRAND BOY! I HAVE A SPECIAL TASK FOR YOU!
MAIL FOR YOU, LYLA.
THANKS, ZIGGY.
BRRP
BRRP
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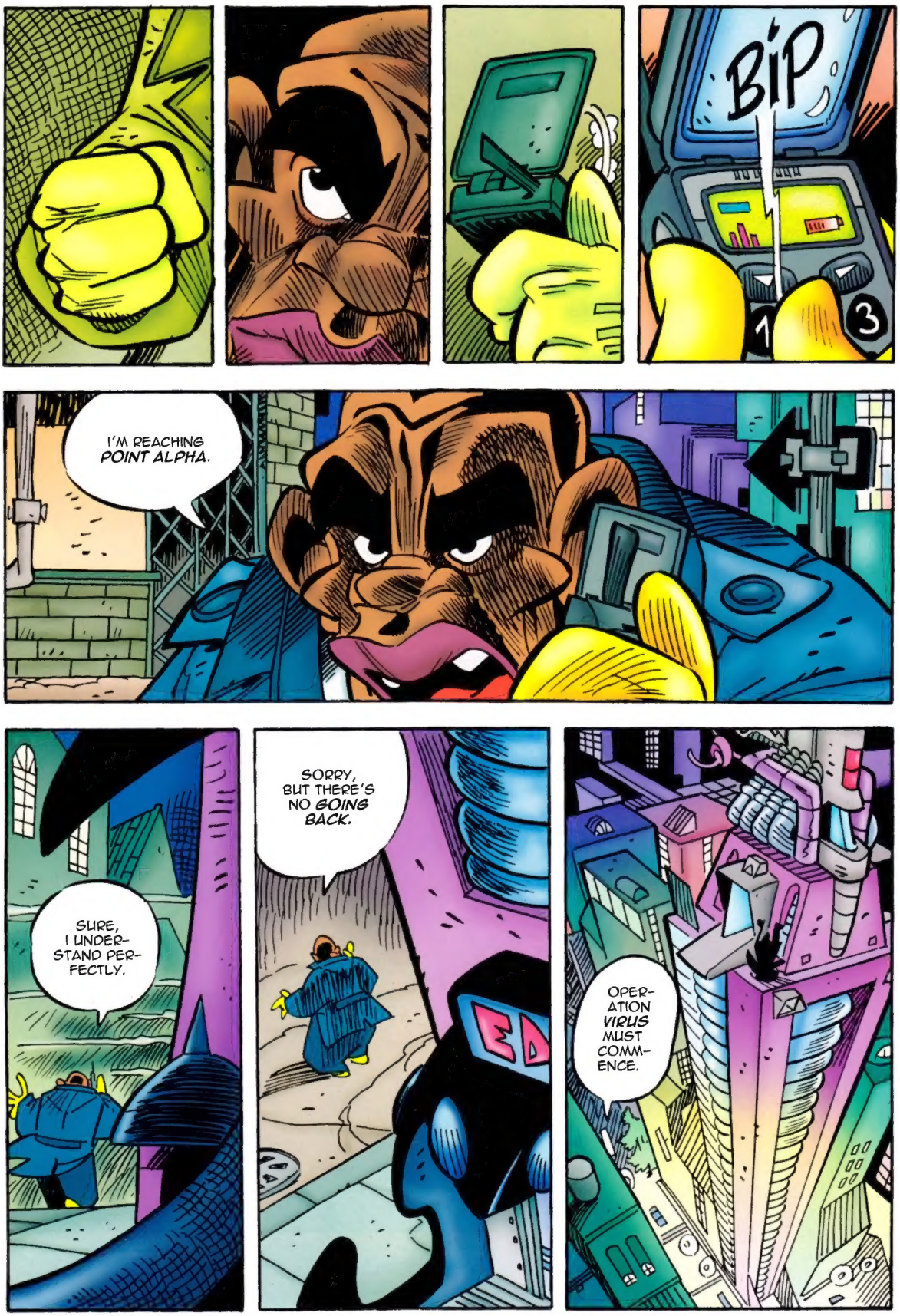
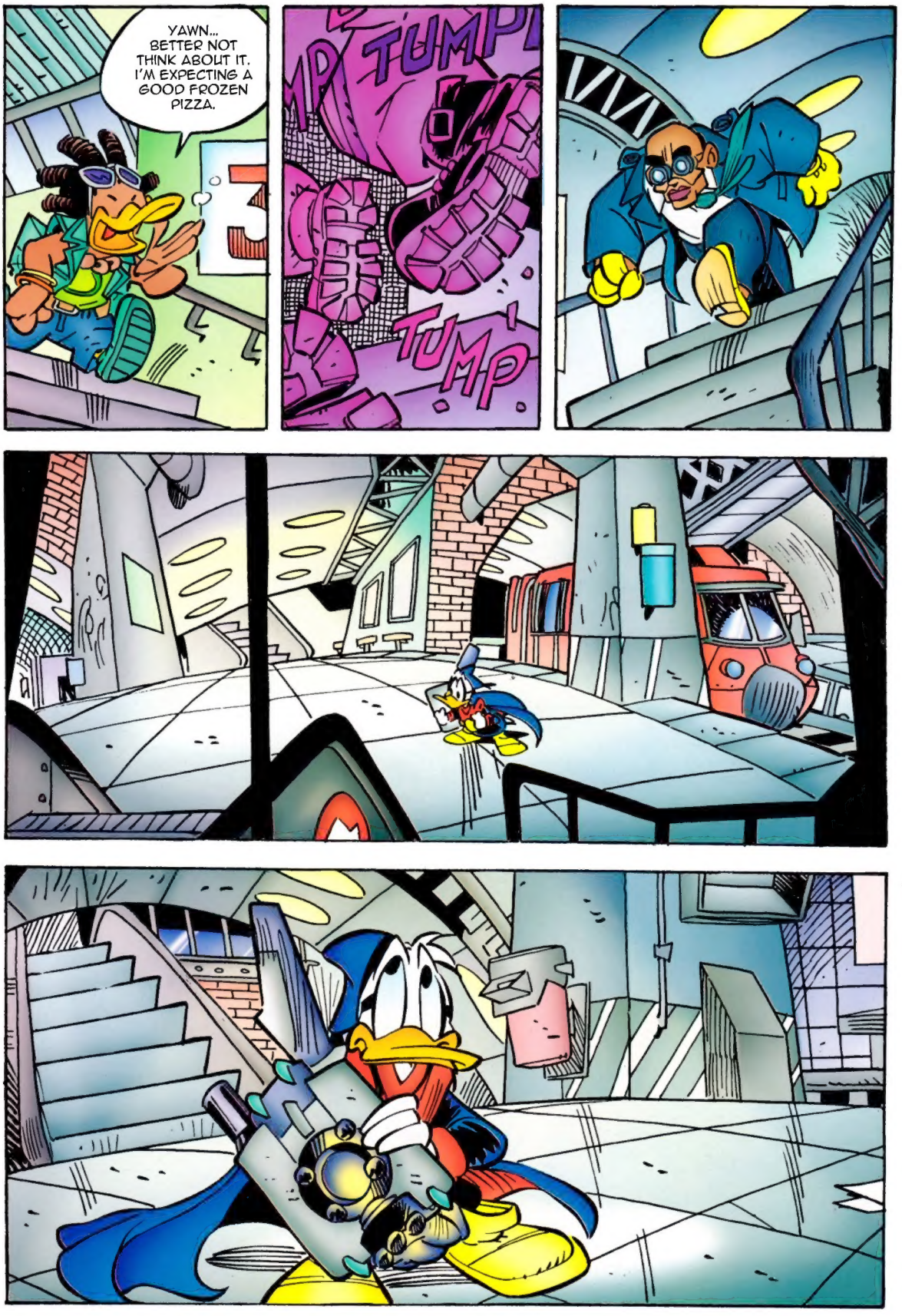
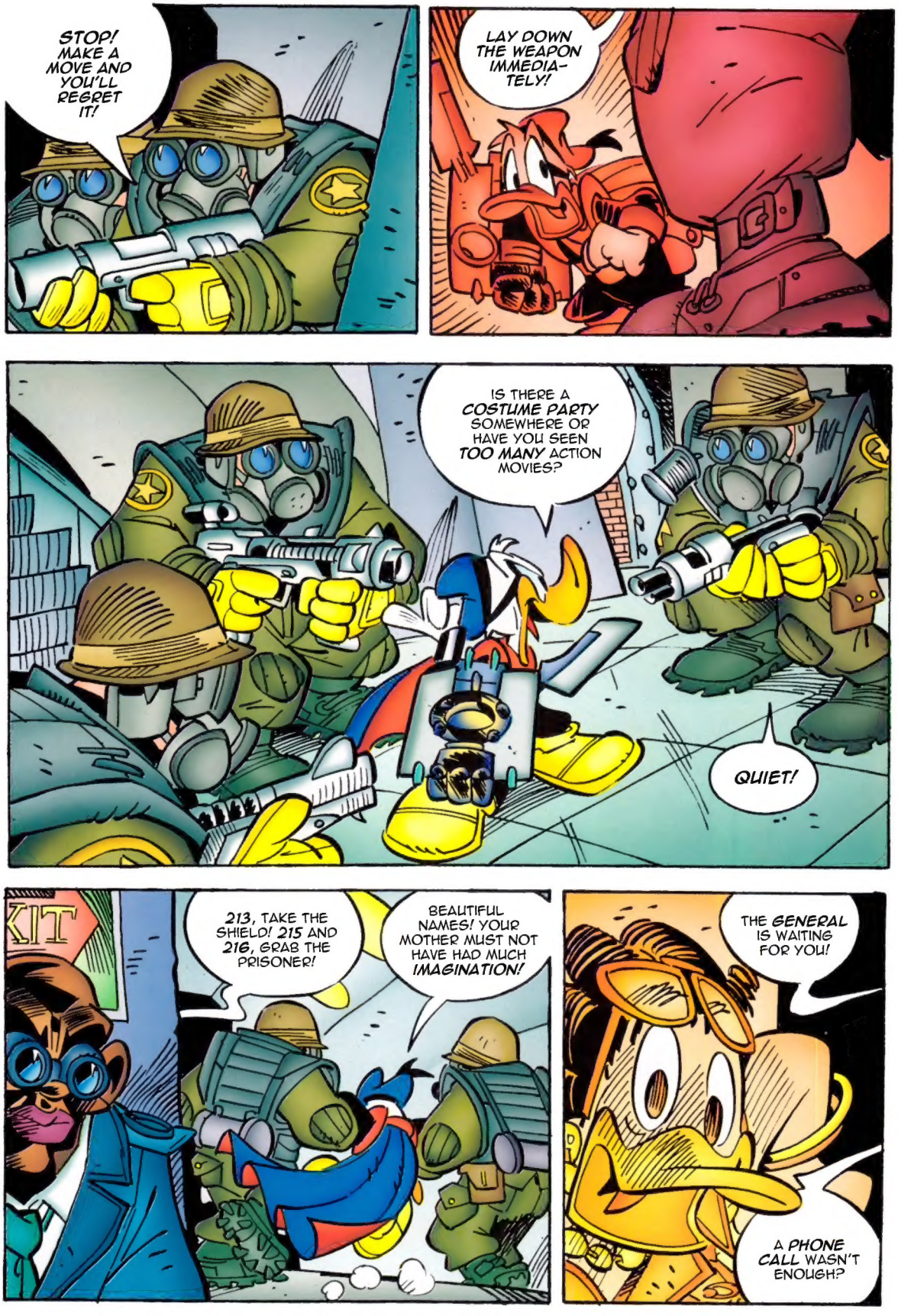
I GRANT YOU THE HONOR OF REARRANGING THE MATERIAL I USED FOR MY MASTERPIECE BY TODAY.
ANGUS
UGH!
THANKS FOR THE HONOR, BUT IT'S MORE THAN I DESERVE!
YOU DON'T SEEM TO UNDERSTAND THAT IT'S AN ORDER!
YOU DON'T SEEM TO UNDERSTAND THAT MY WORK FOR TODAY IS OVER!
WELL, IF THESE TAPES AREN'T IN PLACE TOMORROW, I WOULDN'T WANT TO BE IN YOUR PLACE!
ZIGGY WOULD BE DELIGHTED TO ARRANGE THEM!
IBEGYOUIBEGYOU, I HAVE A MANDATORY APPOINTMENT!
HUH?!
IN ALPHABETIC ORDER, PLEASE! GYEH GYEH!
THANKS, ZIGGY. I OWE YOU ONE.
THANKS, ZIGGY! HAVE A GOOD NIGHT...
THANKS... THANKS... AS IF I HAVE NOTHING BETTER TO DO.

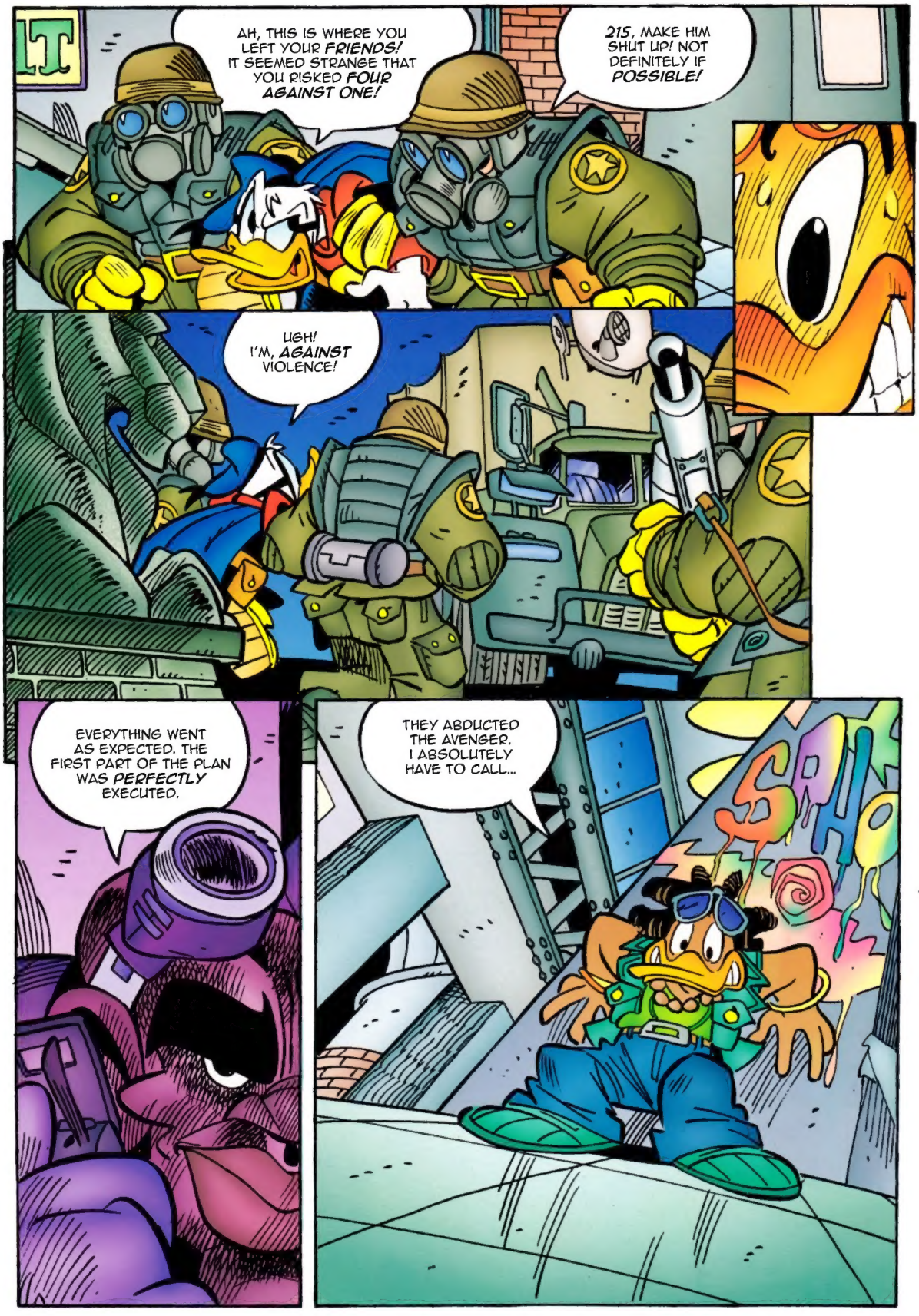

BIP
1
3
I'M REACHING POINT ALPHA.
SURE, I UNDERSTAND PERFECTLY.
SORRY, BUT THERE'S NO GOING BACK.
OPERATION VIRUS MUST COMMENCE.

ROGER, GENERAL! WE ARE READY!
TCLACK
ALL CLEAR, SIR! RADIO SILENCE FROM NOW ON!
EXCELLENT, BOYS! LET'S START THE SHOW! MORRIS, MILLIS AND GUYMAN WITH ME! THE REST OF YOU MONITOR THE ENTRANCES! I WANT A CLEAN JOB!
OZ

M. Linea 1
I'M APPROACH-ING THE MEETING PLACE.
AND NOW... DON'T TRY ANY NASTY SURPRISES, AVENGER!
BLIP
NIGHTS LIKE THIS MAKES ME THINK I MADE THE WRONG DECISION...

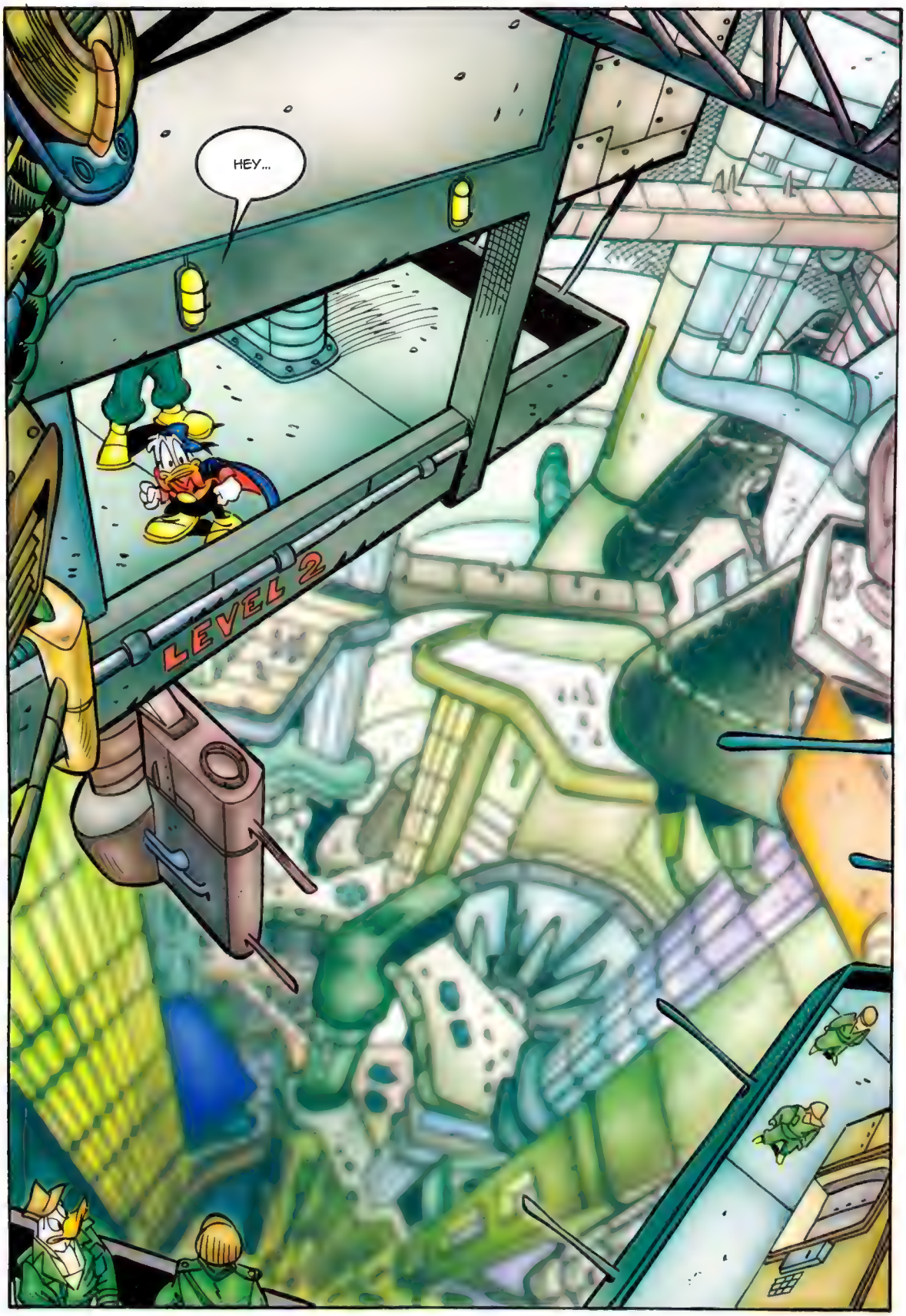

YAWN... BETTER NOT THINK ABOUT IT. I'M EXPECTING A GOOD FROZEN PIZZA.
TUMP!
TUMP


STOP! MAKE A MOVE AND YOU'LL REGRET IT!
LAY DOWN THE WEAPON IMMEDIATELY!
IS THERE A COSTUME PARTY SOMEWHERE OR HAVE YOU SEEN TOO MANY ACTION MOVIES?
QUIET!
213, TAKE THE SHIELD! 215 AND 216, GRAB THE PRISONER!
BEAUTIFUL NAMES! YOUR MOTHER MUST NOT HAVE HAD MUCH IMAGINATION!
THE GENERAL IS WAITING FOR YOU!
A PHONE CALL WASN'T ENOUGH?

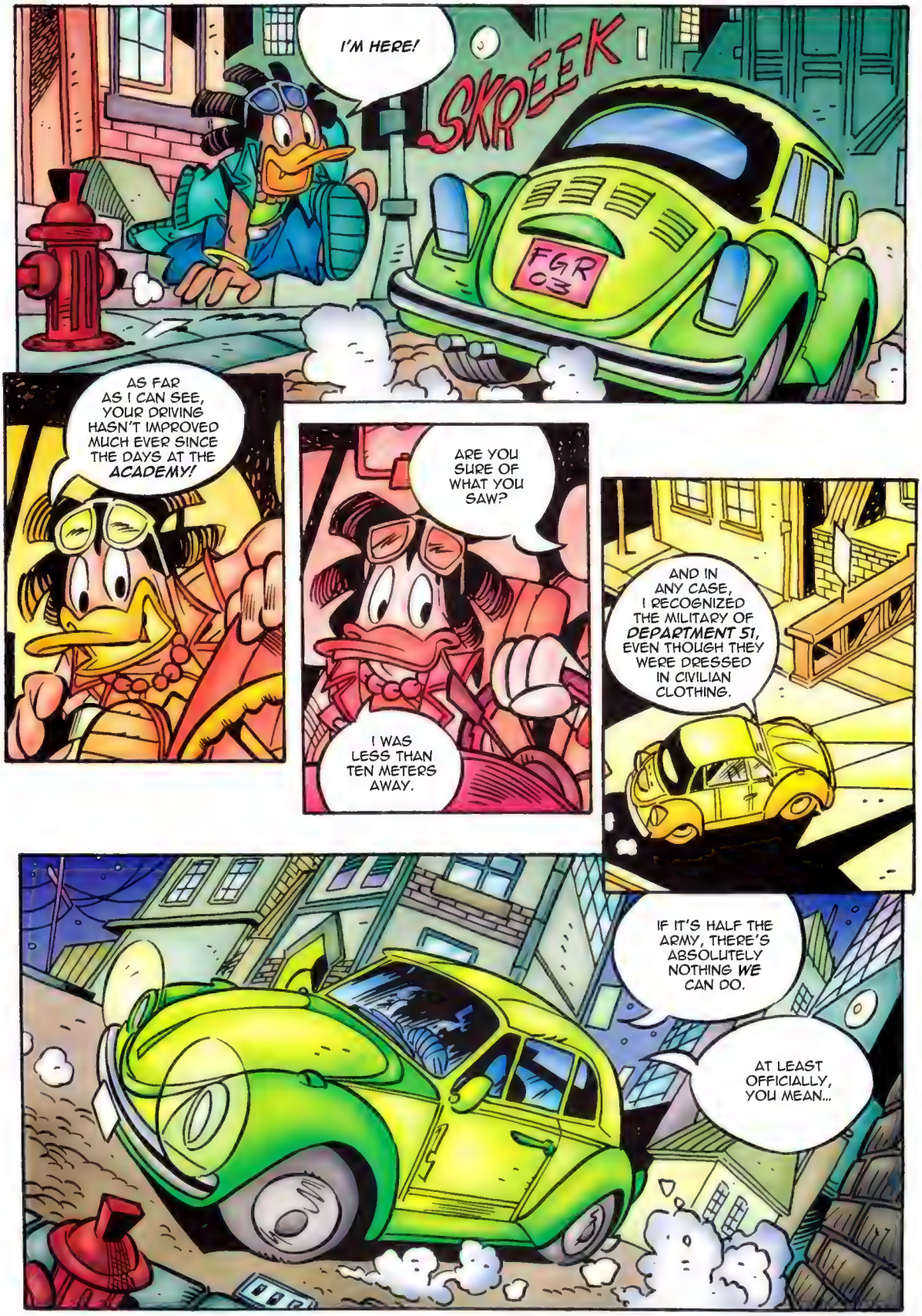

AH, THIS IS WHERE YOU LEFT YOUR *FRIENDS!* IT SEEMED STRANGE THAT YOU RISKED *FOUR AGAINST ONE!*
215, MAKE HIM SHUT UP! NOT DEFINITELY IF *POSSIBLE!*
UGH! I'M, *AGAINST* VIOLENCE!
EVERYTHING WENT AS EXPECTED. THE FIRST PART OF THE PLAN WAS *PERFECTLY* EXECUTED.
THEY ABDUCTED THE AVENGER. I ABSOLUTELY HAVE TO CALL...

VROOOH

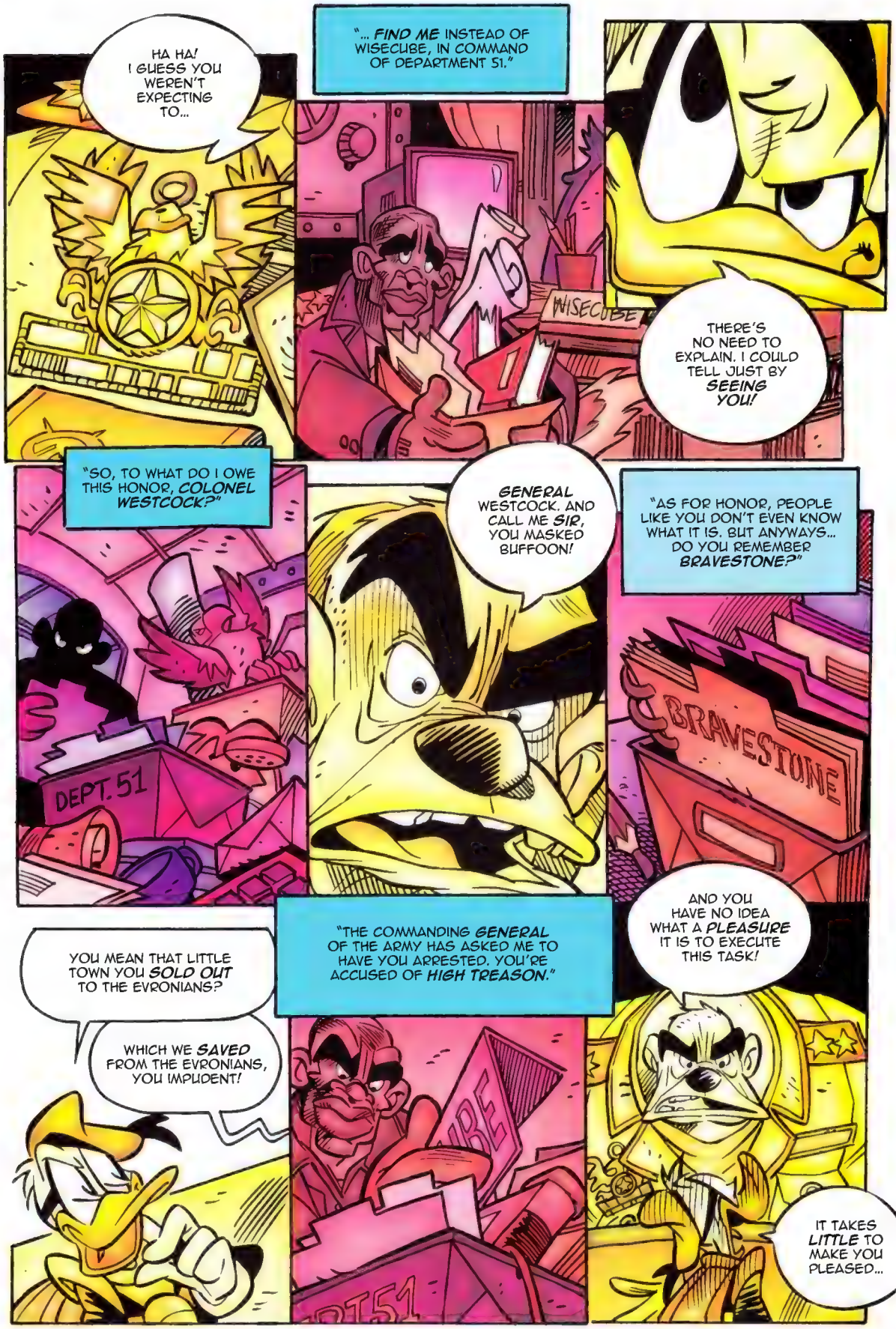
CLUNK
OUT! AND NO TRICKS!
YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE MISSING, BOYS? A SENSE OF HUMOR!
WE'LL TAKE THE PRISONER FROM HERE, CAPTAIN!
MOVE IT! THE GENERAL IS WAITING!


HEY...
LEVEL 2

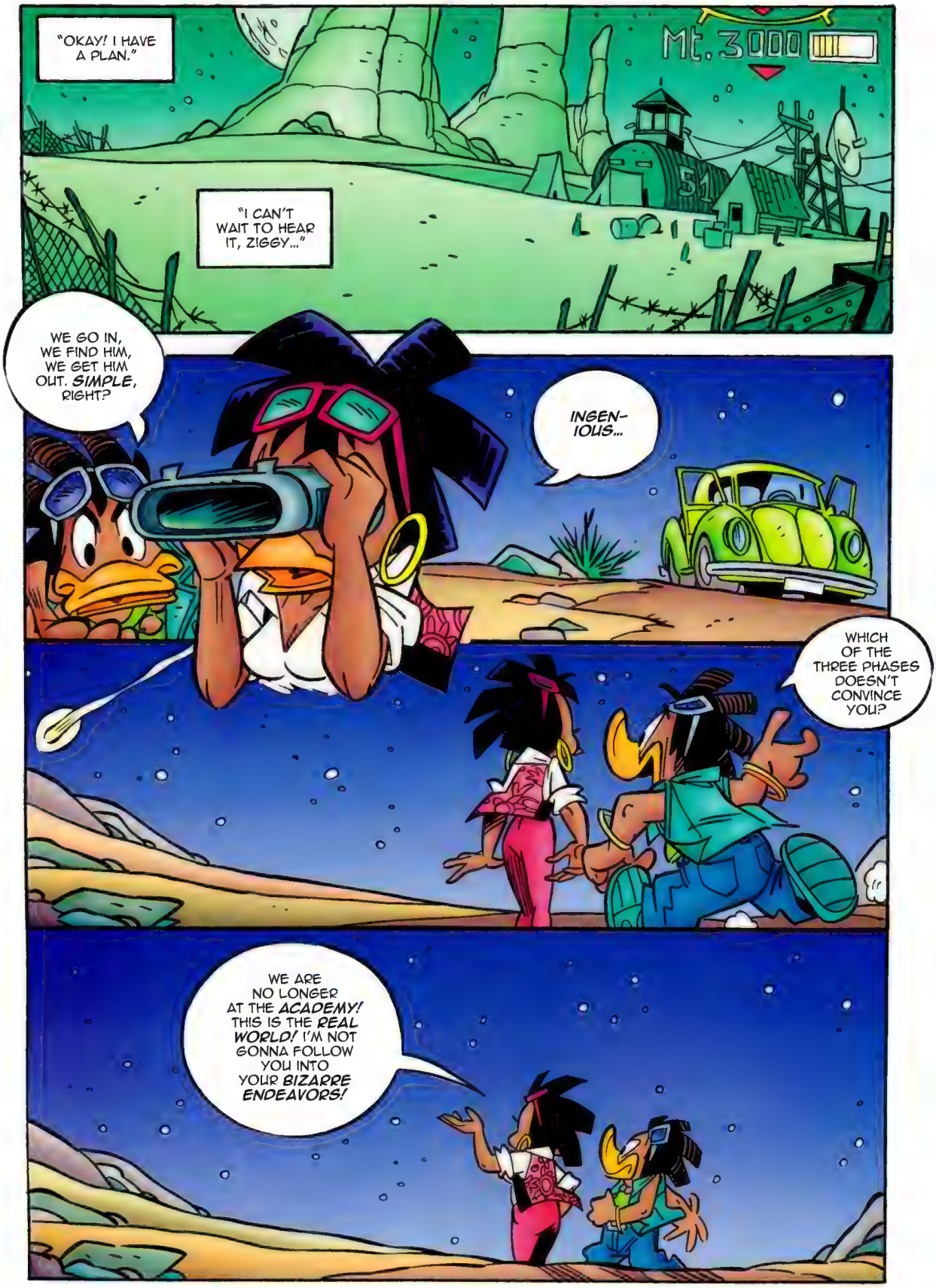
CHECK
ACCESS GRANTED
ATTENTION!

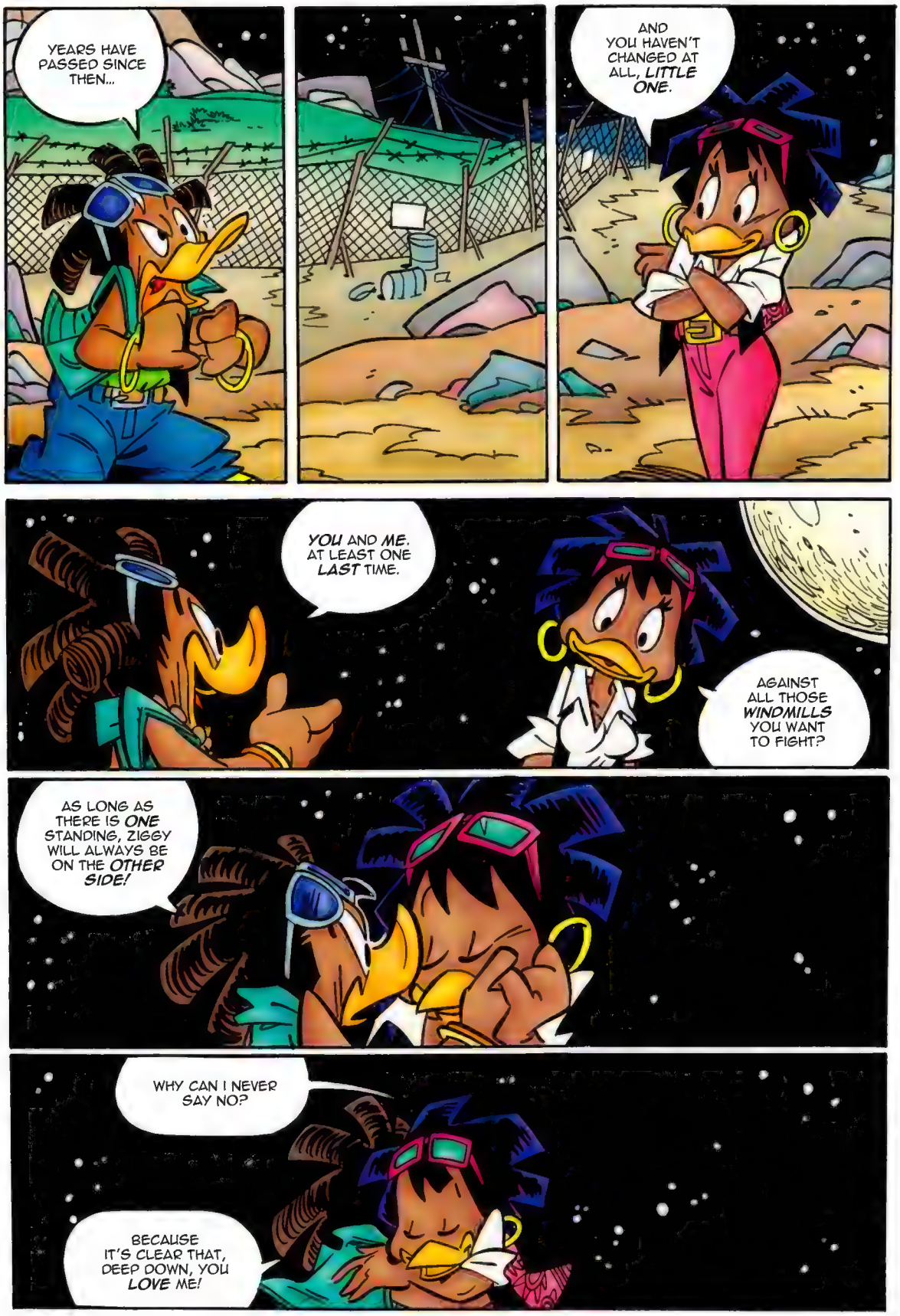

I'M HERE!
SKREEK
FGR 03
AS FAR AS I CAN SEE, YOUR DRIVING HASN'T IMPROVED MUCH EVER SINCE THE DAYS AT THE ACADEMY!
ARE YOU SURE OF WHAT YOU SAW?
I WAS LESS THAN TEN METERS AWAY.
AND IN ANY CASE, I RECOGNIZED THE MILITARY OF DEPARTMENT 51, EVEN THOUGH THEY WERE DRESSED IN CIVILIAN CLOTHING.
IF IT'S HALF THE ARMY, THERE'S ABSOLUTELY NOTHING WE CAN DO.
AT LEAST OFFICIALLY, YOU MEAN...

ZIGGY, THE PBI'S JURISDICTION STOPS AT THE ENTRANCE GATE OF DEPARTMENT 51.
THOUGH I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW HOW THEY EVER MANAGED TO TAKE THE AVENGER.
I'D SAY ABDUCT, MARY. BUT WHY DON'T WE THEN JUST GO AND TAKE A LOOK?
JOKES WERE NEVER YOUR STRONG POINT!
WHAT A GREAT IDEA! WE COULD INTRODUCE OURSELVES TO GENERAL WESTCOCK AND MAYBE EVEN ARREST HIM! WHAT DO YOU THINK?
DO YOU REALLY THINK THAT, THE TWO OF US, WOULD HAVE A PROBLEM GETTING IN THERE?
HAS THE MEANING OF THE WORD ILLEGAL ESCAPED YOU...
SINCE WHEN WAS IT LEGAL TO KIDNAP A FREE CITIZEN AND MAKE HIM DISAPPEAR IN A TRUCK?
AND WHO'S TO SAY IF THEY WEREN'T JUST PICKING HIM UP FOR A SPECIAL MISSION?
NO... THEY WERE POINTING GUNS AT HIM IN BROAD MOONLIGHT!

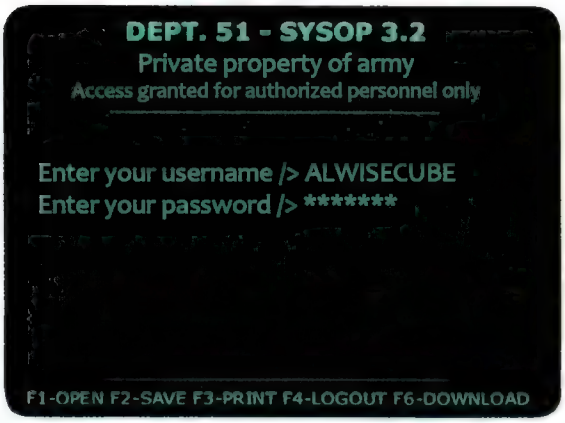

HA HA! I GUESS YOU WEREN'T EXPECTING TO...
"... FIND ME INSTEAD OF WISECUBE, IN COMMAND OF DEPARTMENT 51."
WISECUBE
THERE'S NO NEED TO EXPLAIN. I COULD TELL JUST BY SEEING YOU!
"SO, TO WHAT DO I OWE THIS HONOR, COLONEL WESTCOCK?"
DEPT. 51
GENERAL WESTCOCK. AND CALL ME SIR, YOU MASKED BUFFOON!
"AS FOR HONOR, PEOPLE LIKE YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT IT IS. BUT ANYWAYS... DO YOU REMEMBER BRAVESTONE?"
BRAVESTONE
YOU MEAN THAT LITTLE TOWN YOU SOLD OUT TO THE EVRONIANS?
WHICH WE SAVED FROM THE EVRONIANS, YOU IMPUDENT!
"THE COMMANDING GENERAL OF THE ARMY HAS ASKED ME TO HAVE YOU ARRESTED. YOU'RE ACCUSED OF HIGH TREASON."
AND YOU HAVE NO IDEA WHAT A PLEASURE IT IS TO EXECUTE THIS TASK!
IT TAKES LITTLE TO MAKE YOU PLEASED...

I WOULD TEAR OFF YOUR MASK WITH MY OWN HANDS...
"... IF I HAD NOT BEEN EXPRESSLY ORDERED NOT TO DO SO."
I HAVE NOT GIVEN YOU PERMISSION TO SIT!
URGH! WHAT A TEMPER...
LAUGH. JOKE. HAVE FUN. IT WILL BE THE LAST TIME YOU'LL HAVE THE CHANCE TO DO SO.
"I FEEL THAT YOU'VE GOTTEN EVEN FATTER, SIR. BUT NO ONE HAS EVER MANAGED TO FULFILL THEIR COMMITMENTS."
YOU HAVE YET TO SEE THE WRATH OF WESTCOCK!
HUH... I SHUDDER JUST BY THE VERY THOUGH!
"I'M FED UP! YOU'LL REMAIN IN A CELL UNTIL WE COME AND GET YOU!"
AND KNOW THAT I'LL DO EVERYTHING TO MAKE YOUR STAY IN DEPARTMENT 51 AS UNPLEASANT AS POSSIBLE. HI HI!
BLIP


"OKAY! I HAVE A PLAN."
Mt. 3000
"I CAN'T WAIT TO HEAR IT, ZIGGY..."
WE GO IN, WE FIND HIM, WE GET HIM OUT. SIMPLE, RIGHT?
INGEN-IOUS...
WHICH OF THE THREE PHASES DOESN'T CONVINCE YOU?
WE ARE NO LONGER AT THE ACADEMY! THIS IS THE REAL WORLD! I'M NOT GONNA FOLLOW YOU INTO YOUR BIZARRE ENDEAVORS!


YEARS HAVE PASSED SINCE THEN...
AND YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED AT ALL, LITTLE ONE.
YOU AND ME. AT LEAST ONE LAST TIME.
AGAINST ALL THOSE WINDMILLS YOU WANT TO FIGHT?
AS LONG AS THERE IS ONE STANDING, ZIGGY WILL ALWAYS BE ON THE OTHER SIDE!
WHY CAN I NEVER SAY NO?
BECAUSE IT'S CLEAR THAT, DEEP DOWN, YOU LOVE ME!

I JUST WANTED TO TELL YOU THAT I JUST *ARRESTED* THE ONE YOU'VE BEEN PROTECTING.
I DON'T RECALL SAYING "*COME IN*".
PERHAPS YOU DON'T UNDERSTAND...
I'VE THROWN HIM INTO A CELL IN LEVEL 52!
BRAVO. YOU'LL BE GIVEN A MEDAL.
WITH THAT *BUSYBODY* OUT OF PLAY AND YOU *DISMISSED*... ISN'T LIFE JUST *BEAUTIFUL?*
THANKS FOR THE GREAT *LESSON IN STYLE*, GENERAL WESTCOCK, BUT I'M BUSY RIGHT NOW.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Enter your username /> ALWISECUBE
Enter your password /> *******
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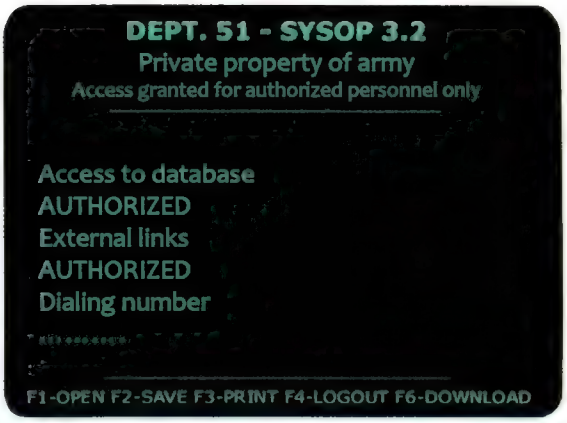
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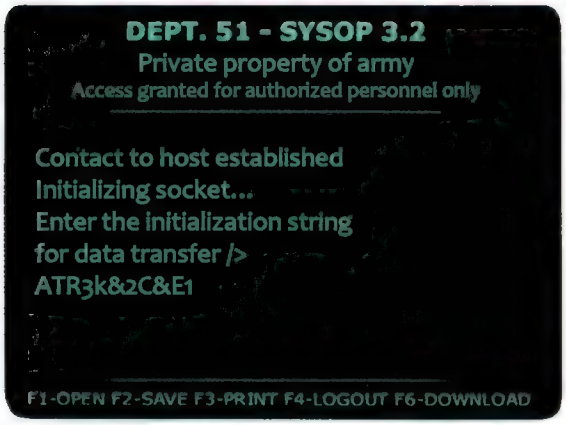
Access to database
AUTHORIZED
External links
AUTHORIZED
Dialing number
F1-OPEN F2-SAVE F3-PRINT F4-LOGOUT F6-DOWNLOAD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Contact to host established
Initializing socket...
Enter the initialization string
for data transfer />
ATR3k&2C&E1
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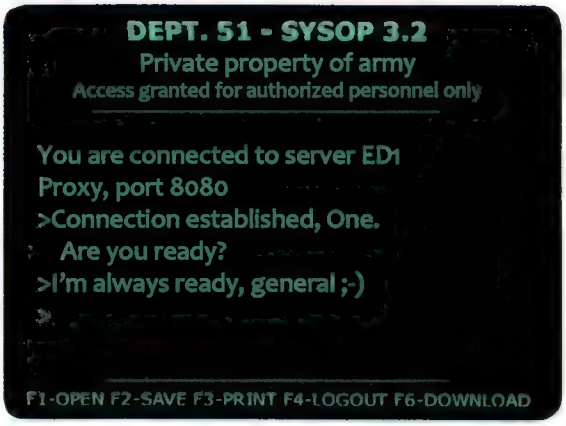
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You are connected to server ED1
Proxy, port 8080
>Connection established, One.
Are you ready?
>I'm always ready, general ;-)
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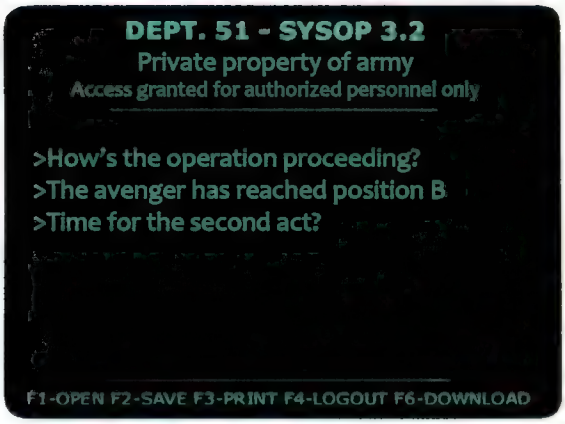
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>How's the operation proceeding?
>The avenger has reached position B
>Time for the second act?
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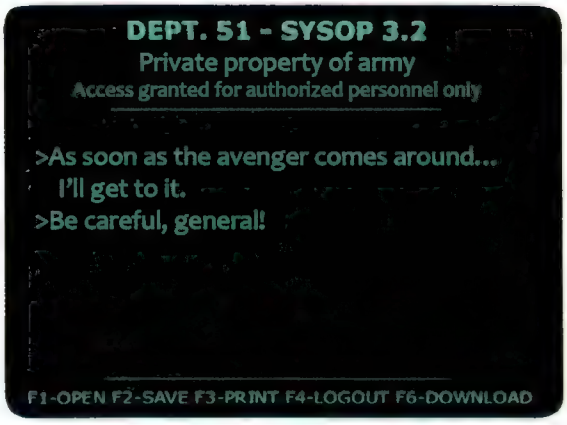
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>As soon as the avenger comes around...
I'll get to it.
>Be careful, general!
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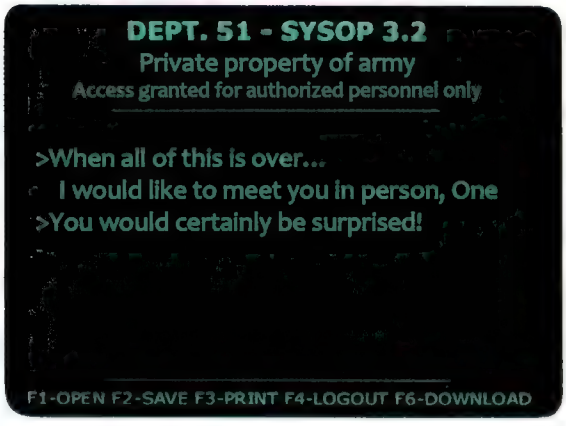
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>When all of this is over...
I would like to meet you in person, One
>You would certainly be surprised!
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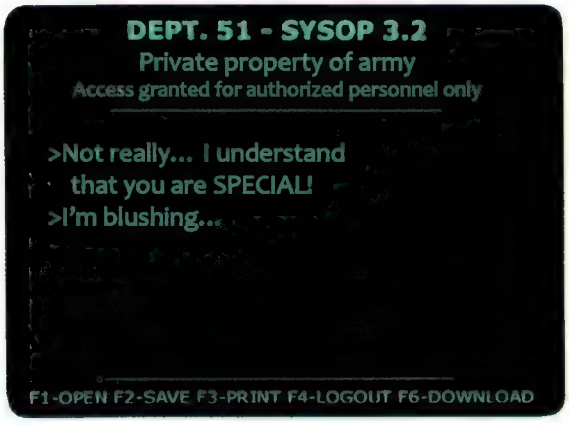
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>Not really... I understand
that you are SPECIAL!
>I'm blushing...
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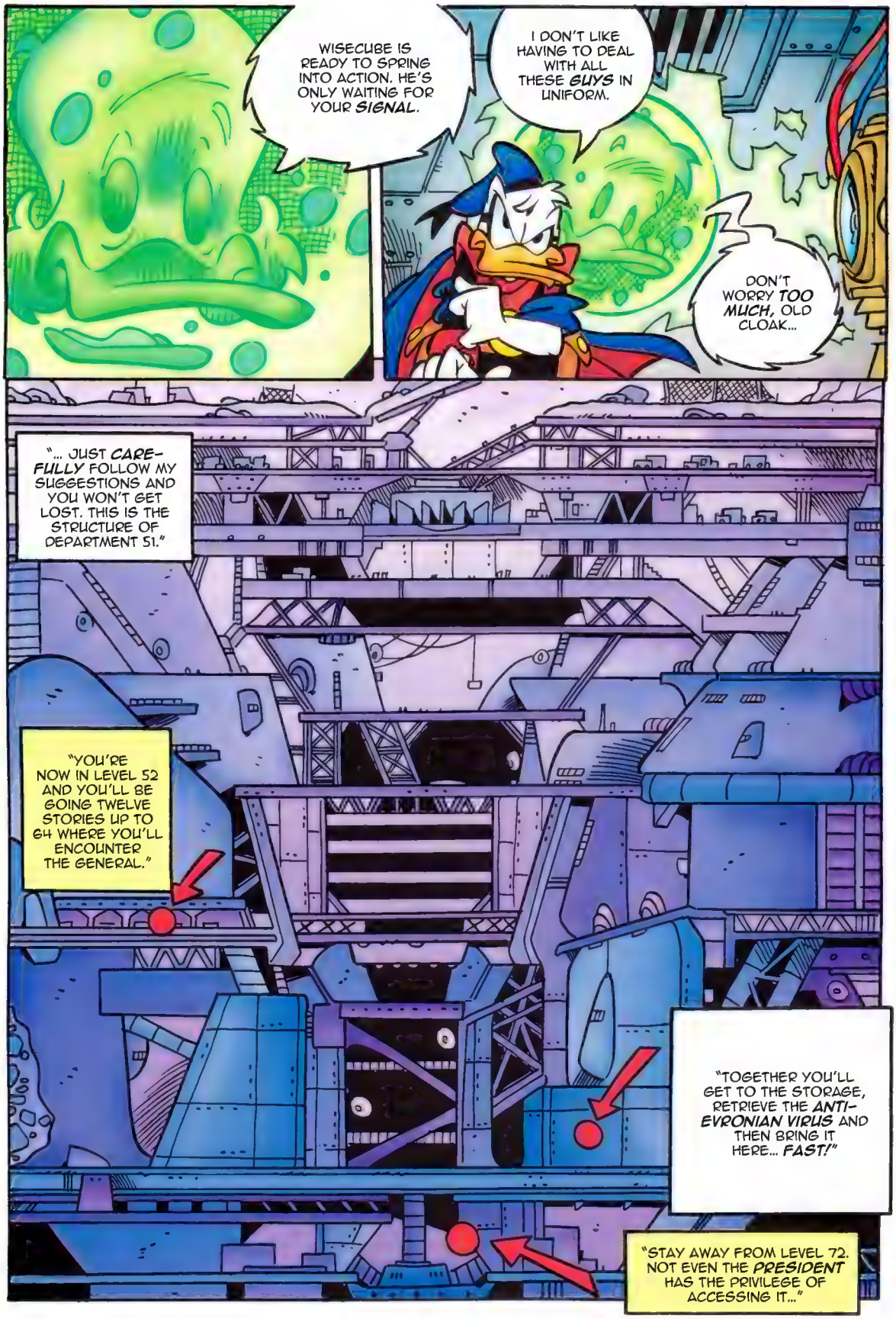
AGE

YOU USED TO BE FASTER.
DON'T WORRY! I HAVEN'T LOST THE TOUCH!
OUR LITTLE FRIEND IS STAYING IN LEVEL 52.
LET'S GET GOING, BEFORE I CHANGE MY MIND!

RED FIRST OR BLUE FIRST?
ONE? CAN YOU HEAR ME?
YES! AND IF YOU KEEP SHOUTING LIKE THAT, I WON'T BE THE ONLY ONE!
FZZT
HOW ABOUT WE USE A SIMPLER SYSTEM NEXT TIME?
I JUST FOLLOWED THE GENERAL'S ADVICE...


WISECUBE IS READY TO SPRING INTO ACTION. HE'S ONLY WAITING FOR YOUR SIGNAL.
I DON'T LIKE HAVING TO DEAL WITH ALL THESE GUYS IN UNIFORM.
DON'T WORRY TOO MUCH, OLD CLOAK...
"... JUST CARE-FULLY FOLLOW MY SUGGESTIONS AND YOU WON'T GET LOST. THIS IS THE STRUCTURE OF DEPARTMENT 51."
"YOU'RE NOW IN LEVEL 52 AND YOU'LL BE GOING TWELVE STORIES UP TO 64 WHERE YOU'LL ENCOUNTER THE GENERAL."
"TOGETHER YOU'LL GET TO THE STORAGE, RETRIEVE THE ANTI-EVRONIAN VIRUS AND THEN BRING IT HERE... FAST!"
"STAY AWAY FROM LEVEL 72. NOT EVEN THE PRESIDENT HAS THE PRIVILEGE OF ACCESSING IT..."

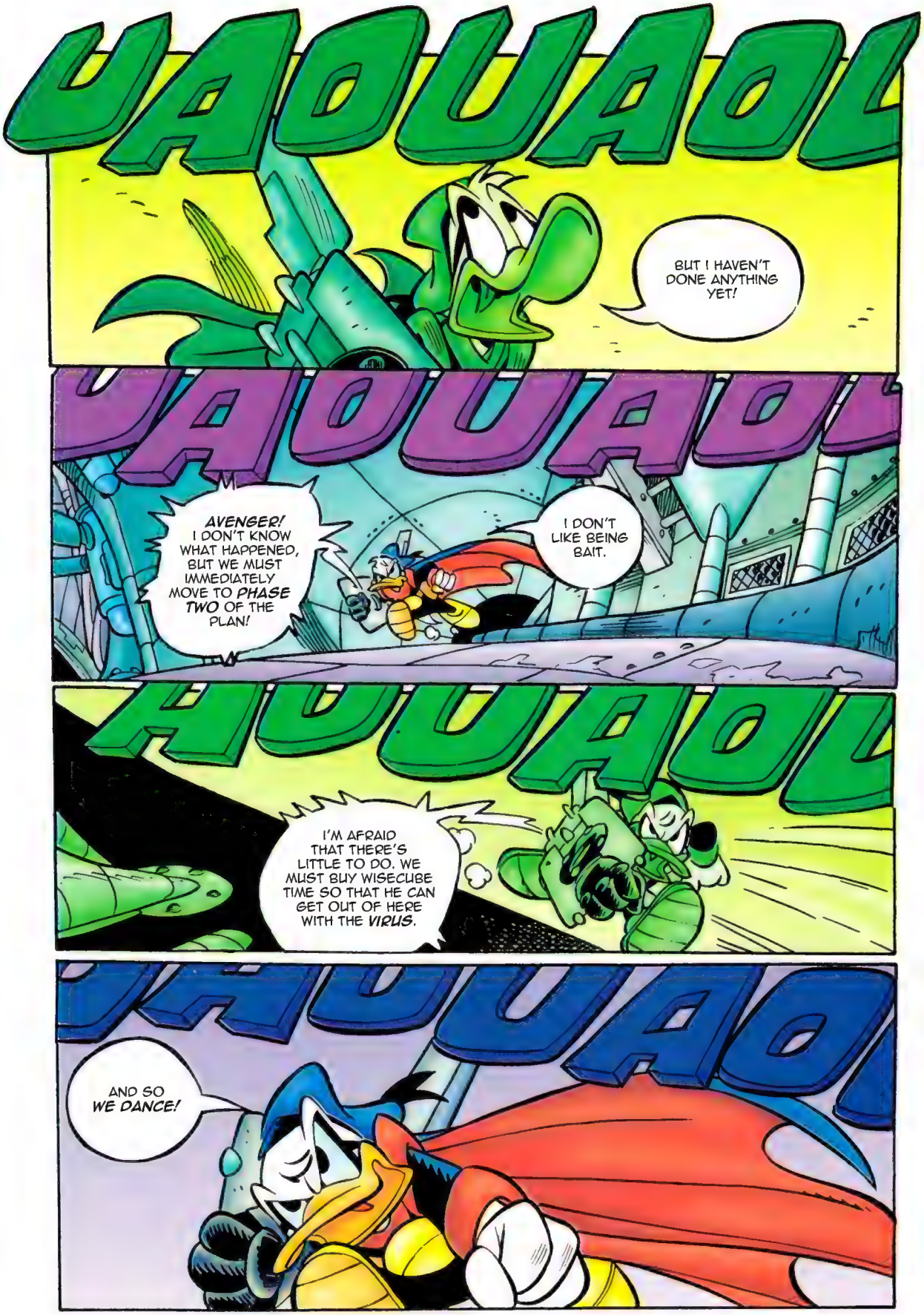
I STILL WONDER IF WE'RE DOING THE *RIGHT* THING.
I'VE BEEN VERIFYING WHAT WISECUBE HAS SAID...
... AND *EVERYTHING* MATCHES UP! THE ARMY HAS A *VIRUS* CAPABLE OF RECESSING THE EVRONIANS' DEVELOPMENT AND RETURN THEM TO THE STAGE OF EVRONITES.
THAT IS WHY OUR *FRIENDLY* INVADERS HAVE YET TO LAUNCH THE *DECISIVE* ATTACK.
I WAS CONVINCED THAT THEY HADN'T DONE IT *BECAUSE OF ME!*
ALRIGHT! ENOUGH OF THIS *FAKE* ARREST. I'M READY.
LET'S GO RETRIEVE THE *DEFINITIVE WEAPON*. NO MATTER WHAT THE COST.
AND REMEMBER TO RECALL THE X-TRANSFORMER WITH THE *SWITCH!*

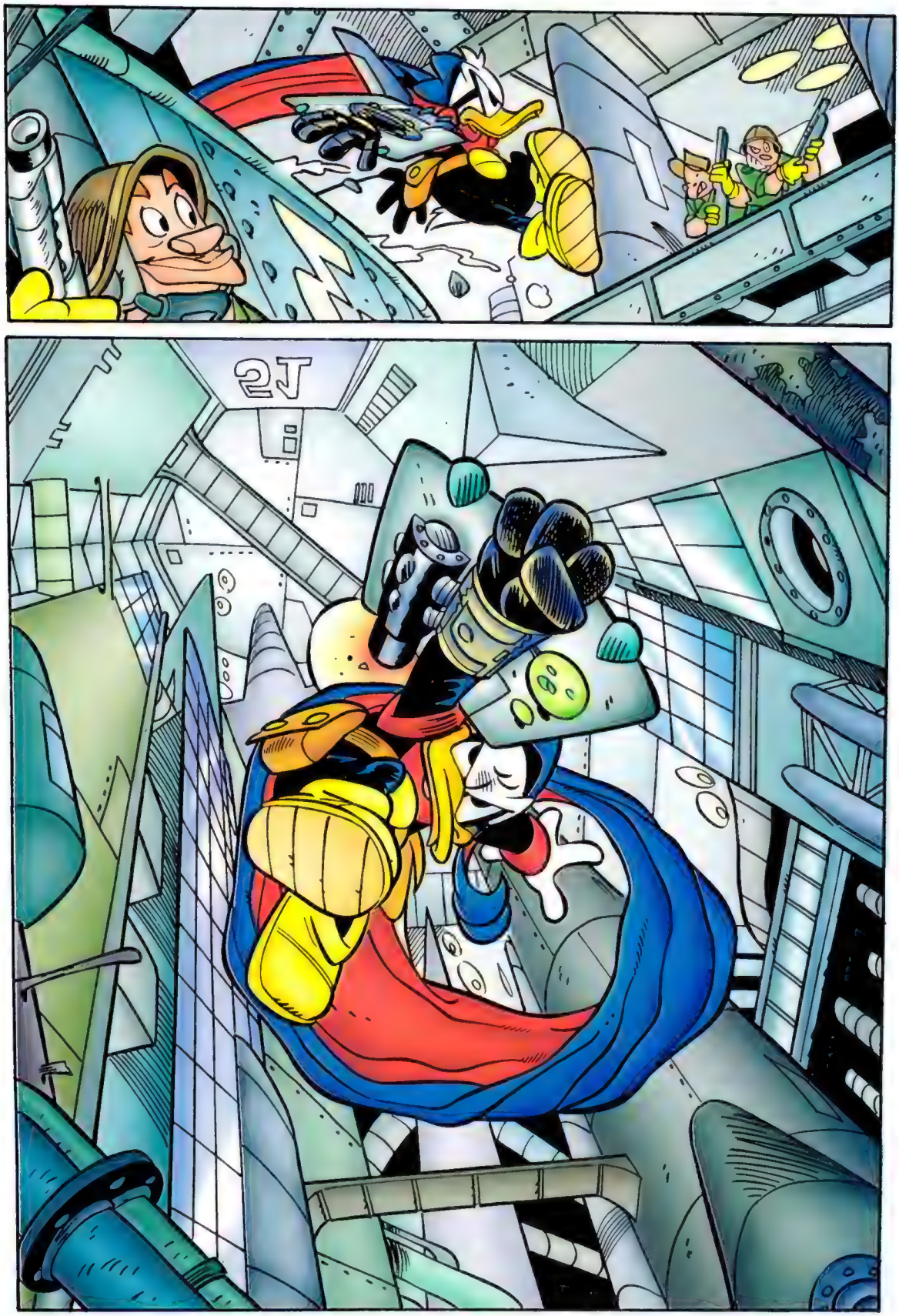
I HAVE SUCCESSFULLY CARRIED OUT THE MISSION I'D BEEN ENTRUSTED TO, SIR!
I MEAN THAT I'VE ARRESTED THE TRAITOROUS AVENGER, SIR!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN YOU'VE NEVER GIVEN THAT ORDER, SIR?
CRIUK
OF COURSE, SIR! AS YOU WISH, SIR! I DON'T UNDERSTAND, SIR...
SOMEONE IS GONNA HAVE MANY THINGS TO EXPLAIN!
I THINK I'VE INTERCEPTED AN INTERESTING COMMUNICATION, SIR.
YEAH. THIS INFORMATION OPENS UP MANY PERSPECTIVES...

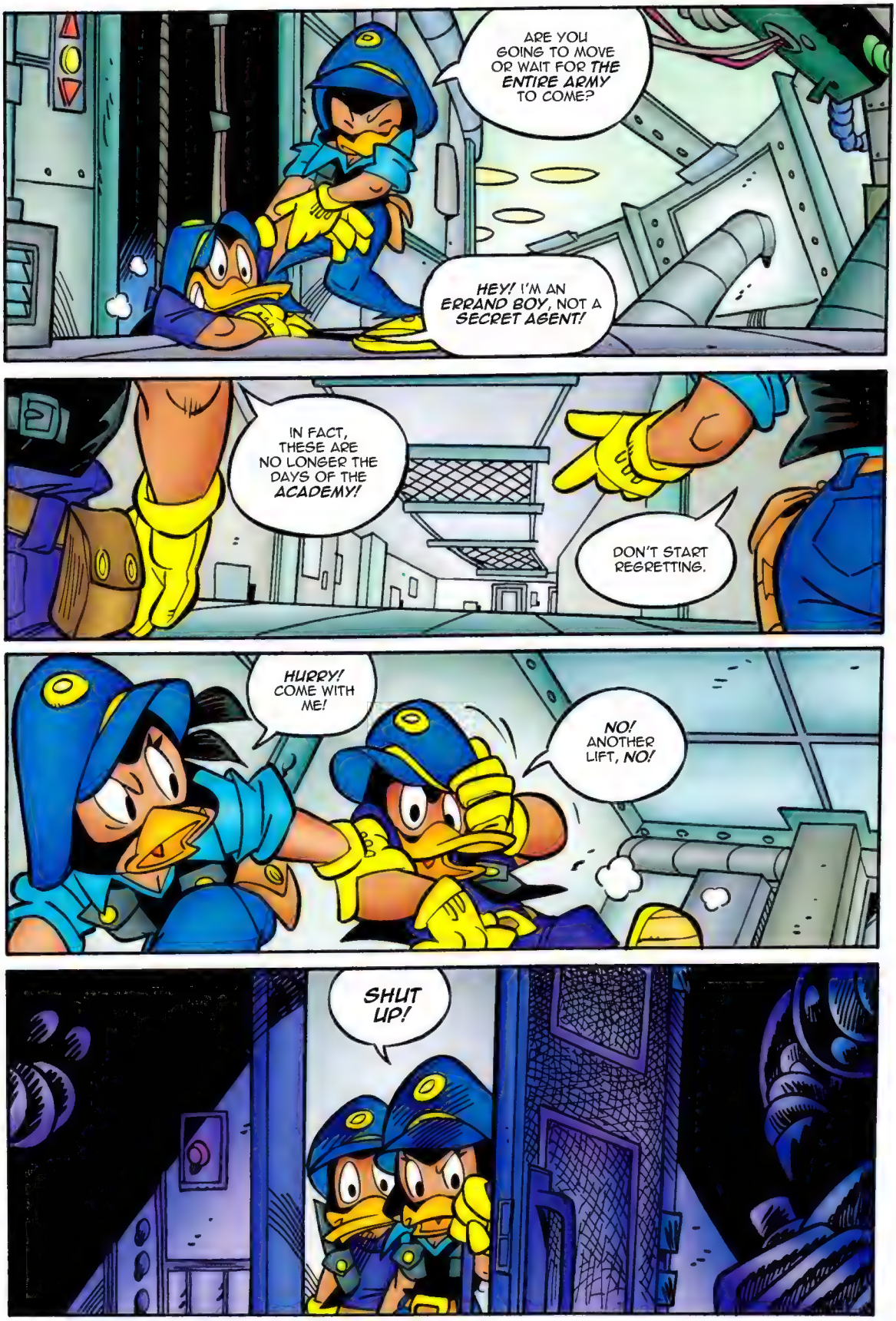
LEVEL 64
HOLD IT RIGHT THERE, SIR!
I HAVEN'T GOT *TIME* TO WASTE. STEP ASIDE.
SHOW ME YOUR *AUTHORIZATION* AND I'LL BE HAPPY TO LET YOU PASS.
I DON'T NEED AUTHORIZATION TO GO IN THERE.
SORRY, SIR, BUT I'VE RECEIVED *VERY PRECISE ORDERS* ABOUT IT!
AND HOW ARE YOU GONNA STOP ME... *BY SHOOTING ME?*
I WOULD AVOID IT... IF POSSIBLE, SIR!

I'M SORRY...
OUFF...
TONK
I DIDN'T WANT TO DO THIS...
COME ON! THERE'S NO TIME TO LOSE.
BLIP
WASN'T THERE ANOTHER WAY, SIR?
NOT ONLY IS OUR MILITARY NEGOTIATING WITH THE EVRONIANS...
DON'T YOU REALIZE WHAT'S HAPPENING?
... BUT THEY REFUSE TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF WHAT THEY ARE DOING! DON'T YOU THINK IT'S ENOUGH?
IN HERE IS THE ONLY THING THAT CAN STOP THE INVASION OF OUR PLANET...
WHICH SIDE DO YOU WANT TO BE ON, PRIVATE JANSON?
ON YOURS, SIR. AS ALWAYS.

HOW IS IT POSSIBLE THAT... EH?!
YOU TWO, STOP!
QUICK, RUN!
STOP OR I'LL SHOOT!
CLIC!
THIS WAY!
I HATE THINGS LIKE THIS...
BEAM BEAM


UAOUAOU
BUT I HAVEN'T DONE ANYTHING YET!
UAOUAOU
AVENGER! I DON'T KNOW WHAT HAPPENED, BUT WE MUST IMMEDIATELY MOVE TO PHASE TWO OF THE PLAN!
I DON'T LIKE BEING BAIT.
UAOUAOU
I'M AFRAID THAT THERE'S LITTLE TO DO. WE MUST BUY WISECUBE TIME SO THAT HE CAN GET OUT OF HERE WITH THE VIRUS.
UAOUAOU
AND SO WE DANCE!



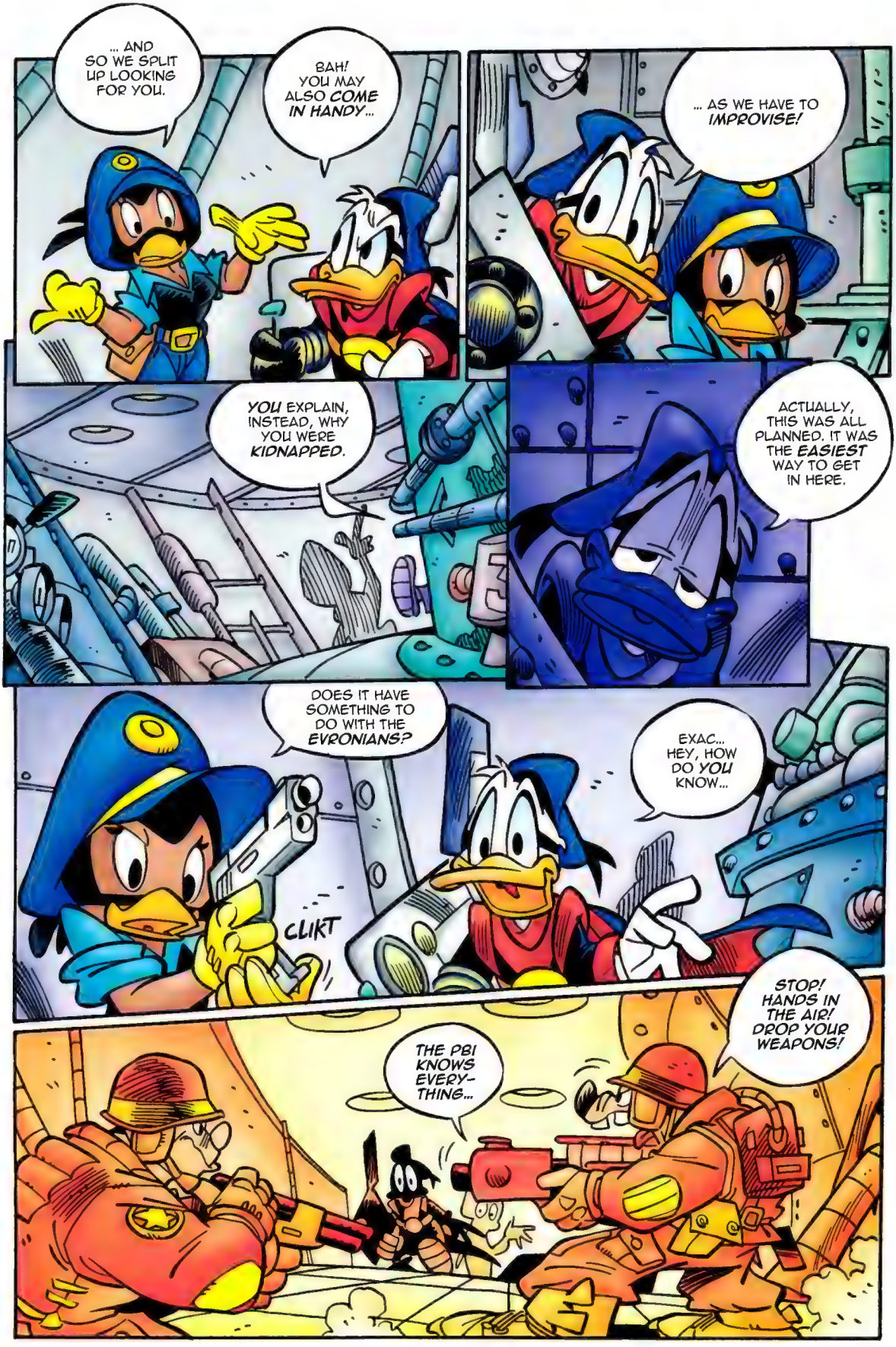

ARE YOU GOING TO MOVE OR WAIT FOR *THE ENTIRE ARMY* TO COME?
HEY! I'M AN *ERRAND BOY*, NOT A *SECRET AGENT!*
IN FACT, THESE ARE NO LONGER THE DAYS OF THE *ACADEMY!*
DON'T START REGRETTING.
HURRY! COME WITH ME!
NO! ANOTHER LIFT, *NO!*
SHUT UP!

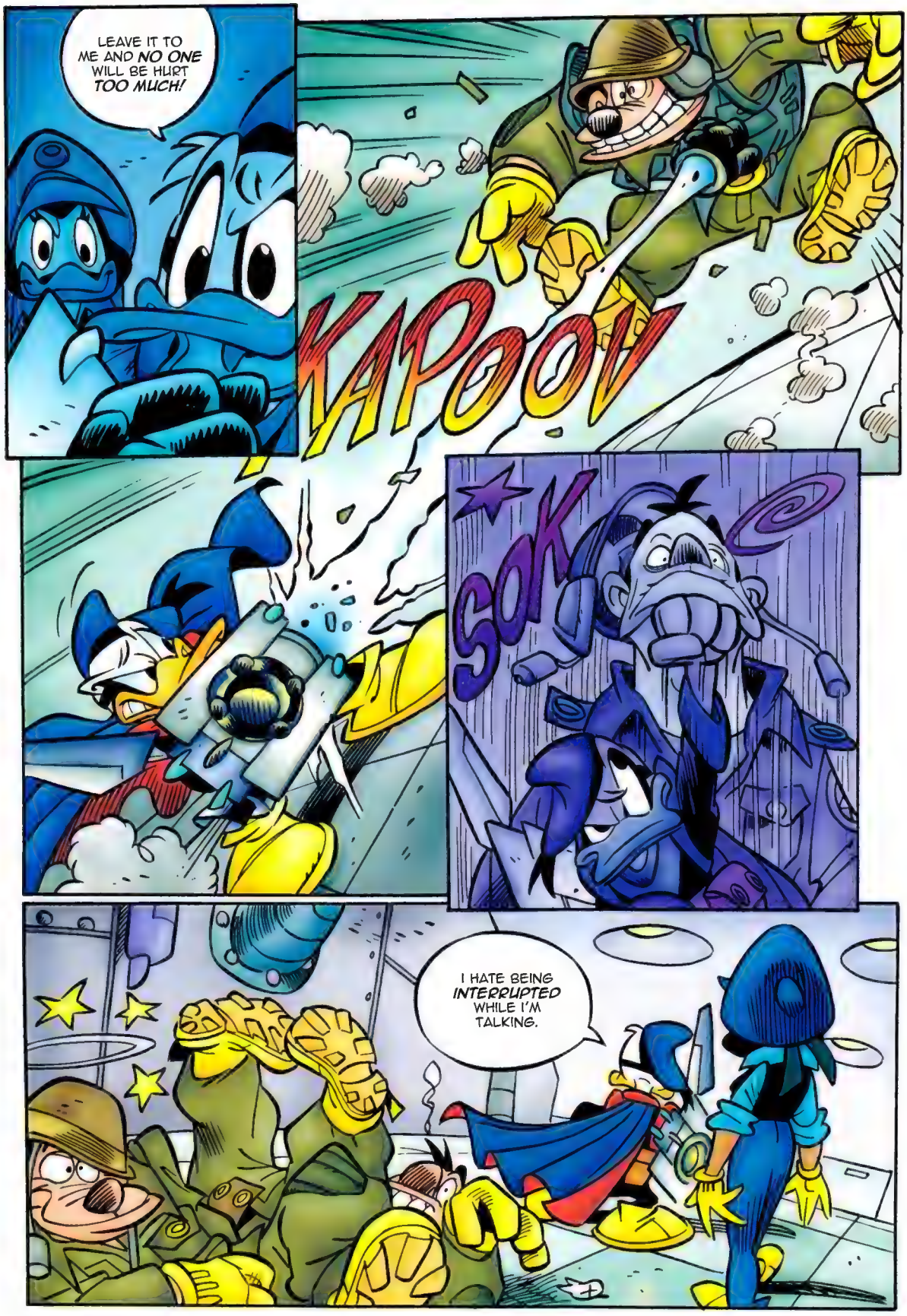
THIS IS BETTER THAN DUCKLAND!
CLICK
OOOH! WHAT DO WE HAVE HERE?
6 YEARS
3 MONTHS
4 DAYS
16 H. 3 M. IESEC
DON'T TOUCH ANY-THING!
IN THIS ONE ROOM THERE ARE DISCOVERIES THAT WOULD CHANGE OUR LIVES...
WATER ENGINE
... AND MAKE US BILLIONAIRES!
DON'T EVEN THINK ABOUT IT!
STAY CLOSE TO ME! WHO KNOWS WHAT DISASTERS YOU COULD COMBINE!
WAIT! CHECK THIS OUT!
UM... I'M CURIOUS TO KNOW WHAT A YIOSTLY IS.
YIOSTLY
RESERV
THAT'S ENOUGH, ZIGGY! WE'RE NOT PLAYING AROUND HERE!

I'M NOT A PBI AGENT! I LEFT SO I WOULD NO LONGER HAVE TO EXECUTE YOUR ORDERS!
YOU LEFT BECAUSE YOU WEREN'T SMART ENOUGH!
GET A GRIP! IT'S USELESS TRYING TO REASON WITH YOU!
I WAS TIRED OF YOUR TRICKS AND ALL THE SECRETS YOU ENJOY SO MUCH!
HEY! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?
TO LOOK FOR THE AVENGER, ALONE!
OKAY, WE'LL SPLIT UP! WE'LL HAVE A BIGGER CHANGE OF FINDING HIM!
SEE YOU HERE IN HALF AN HOUR!
HEY! THAT'S...

HERE WE ARE.
1967- INVASIONE DI VENERE
1957 MISSIONE LA LUNA
1961 GUERRA MARZIANI
I... I DIDN'T IMAGINE THAT...
PRIVATE JANSON! LET ME REMIND YOU THAT EVERY COMMENT IS OUT OF PLACE, AS THIS PLACE DOESN'T EXIST!

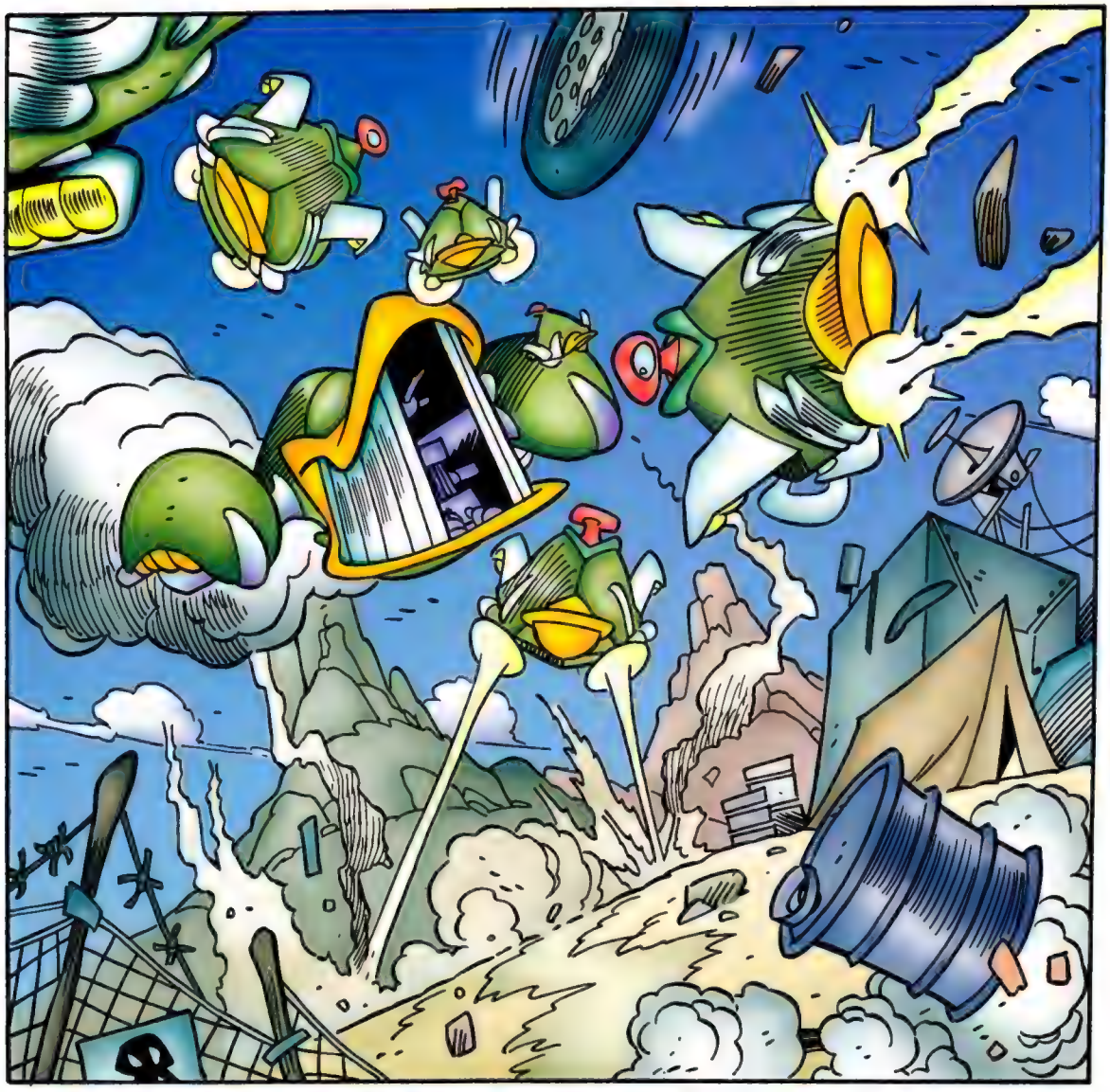
NOW MOVE AWAY. I HAVE TO TAKE OUT THE VIRUS.
RIGHT AWAY, SIR.
EVRONIAN
800 MB
WE ONLY HAVE A FEW MINUTES...

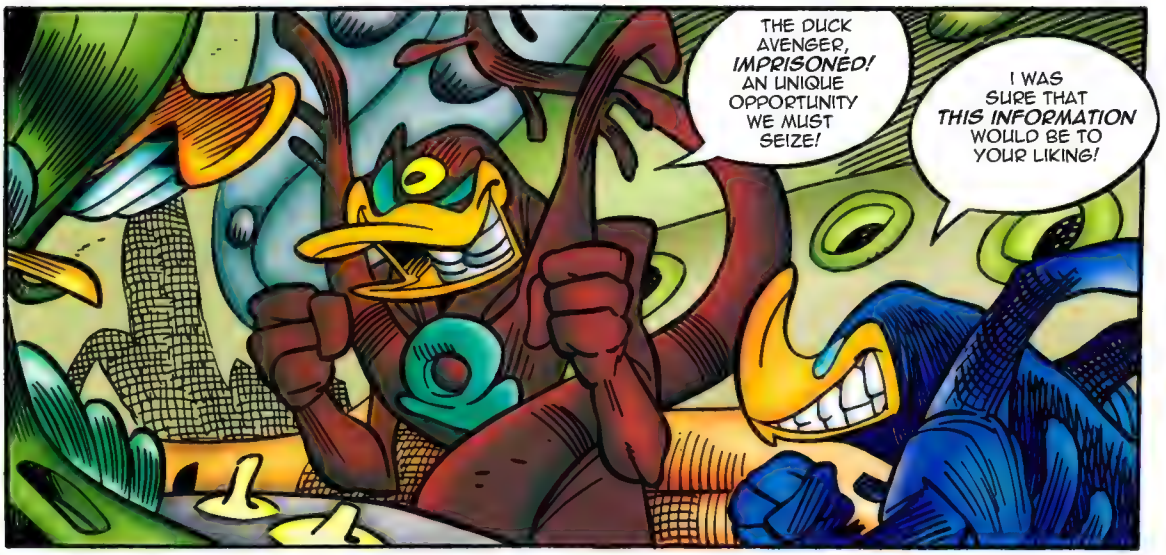

... AND SO WE SPLIT UP LOOKING FOR YOU.
BAH! YOU MAY ALSO COME IN HANDY...
... AS WE HAVE TO IMPROVISE!
YOU EXPLAIN, INSTEAD, WHY YOU WERE KIDNAPPED.
ACTUALLY, THIS WAS ALL PLANNED. IT WAS THE EASIEST WAY TO GET IN HERE.
DOES IT HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH THE EVRONIANS?
CLIKT
EXAC... HEY, HOW DO YOU KNOW...
THE PBI KNOWS EVERY-THING...
STOP! HANDS IN THE AIR! DROP YOUR WEAPONS!


LEAVE IT TO ME AND NO ONE WILL BE HURT TOO MUCH!
KAPOOV
SOK
I HATE BEING INTERRUPTED WHILE I'M TALKING.

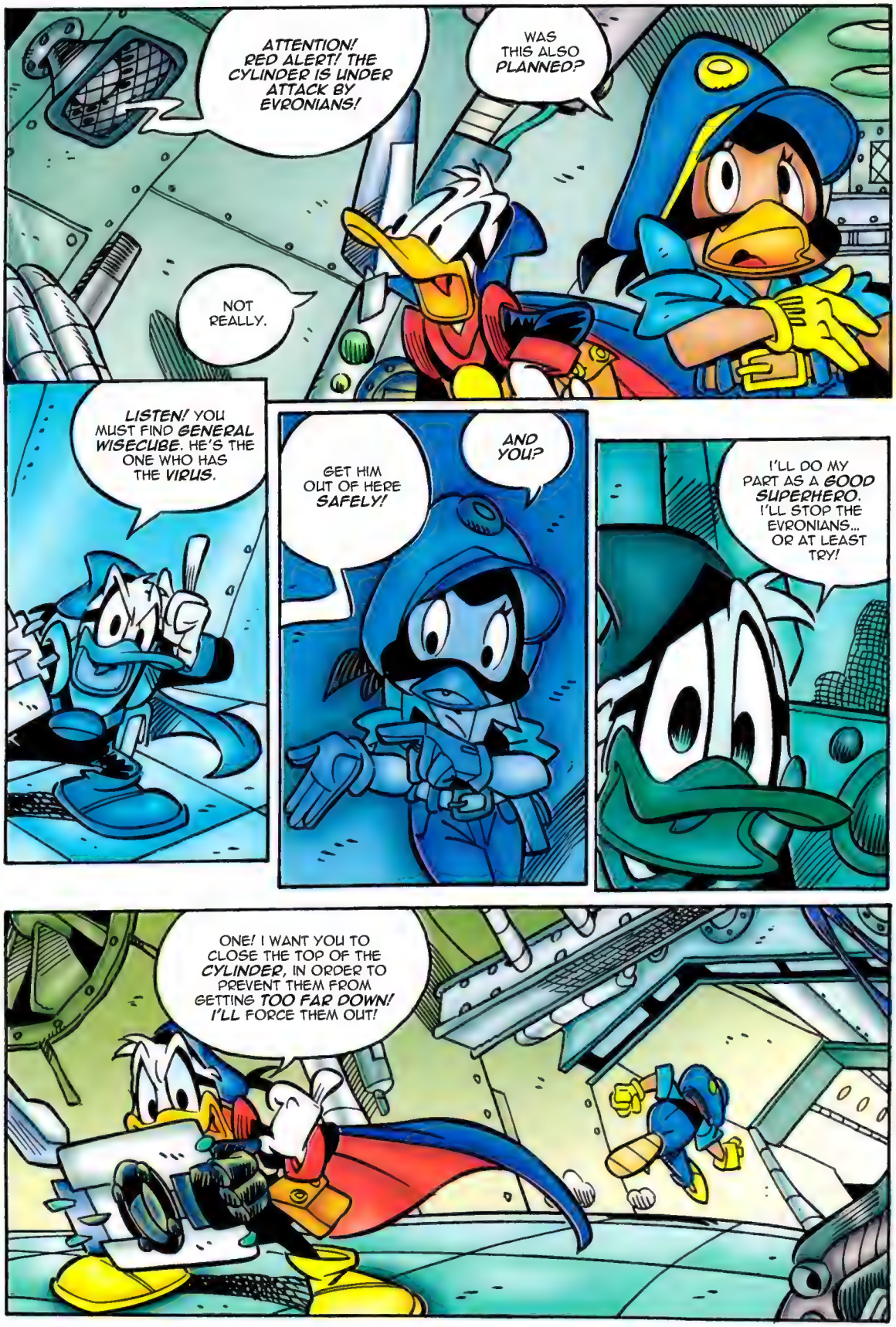
GOING BACK TO US, I CAN ONLY TELL YOU THAT *WE'RE* TRYING TO RETRIEVE A WEAPON THAT COULD TURN THE TABLES.
FIRST QUESTION: WHO ARE "WE"? *SECOND:* IF THIS WEAPONS EXISTS, WHY HASN'T THE ARMY USED IT?
WHAT IS THIS, AN *INTERROGATION?*
IF YOU WANT ME ON YOUR SIDE, YOU MUST GIVE ME *PRECISE ANSWERS.*
WELL THEN, *FIRST QUESTION:* I CAN'T TELL YOU! *SECOND:* YOU SHOULD ASK THE ARMY!
YOU HAVE TO *TRUST* ME, *MARY ANN!*
ALL RIGHT THEN! AS LONG AS WE'RE IN HERE, WE'RE ON THE *SAME SIDE... OUTSIDE,* WE'LL SEE.

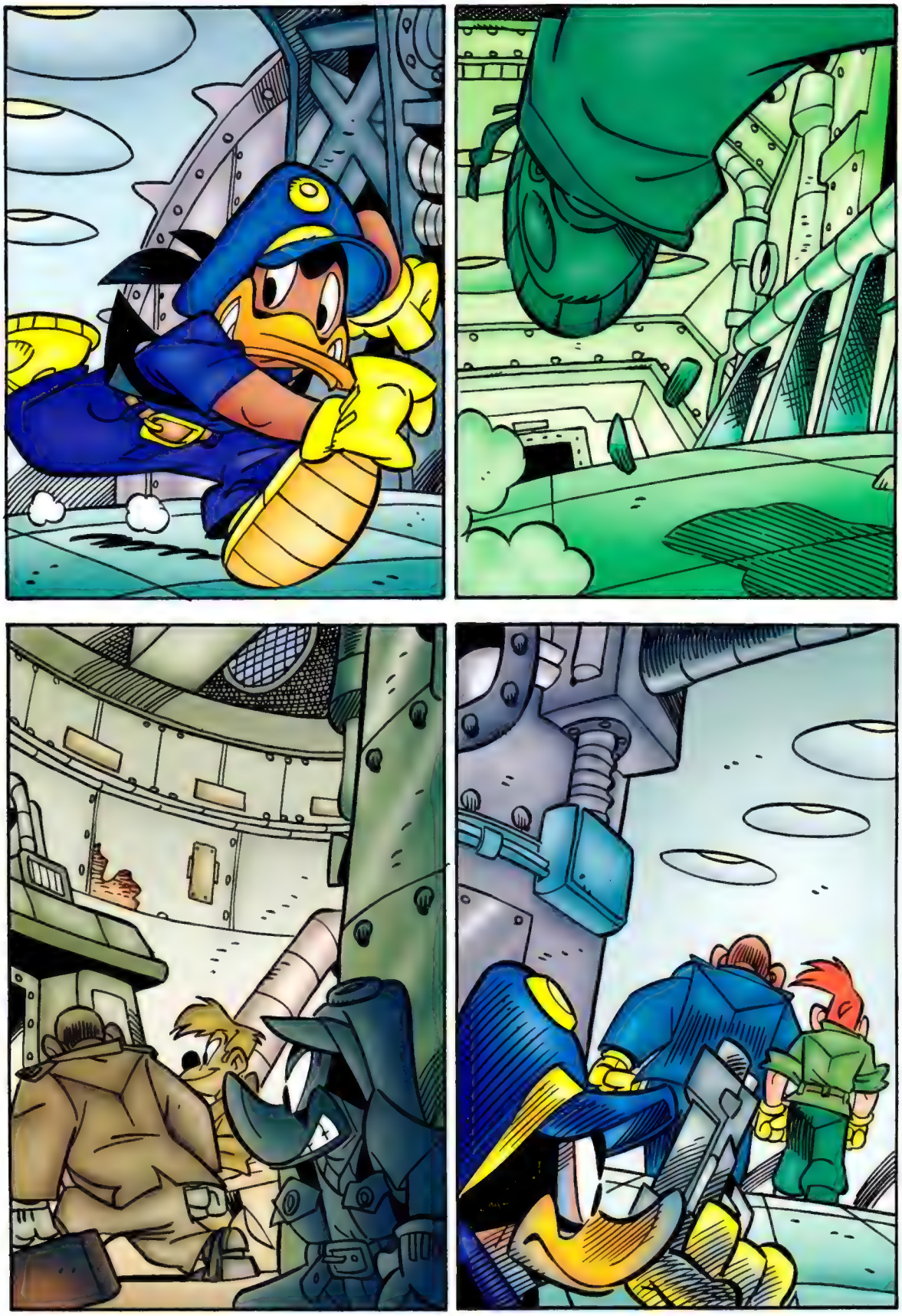
I WANT A COMPLETE PICTURE OF THE SITUATION! I WANT TO KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING IN MY BASE!
THE OPERATING SYSTEM HAS BEEN ATTACKED BY A HACKER, SIR. IT'S NOT RESPONDING TO OUR COMMANDS, SIR!
TWO MYSTERIOUS INDIVIDUALS ARE WANDERING AROUND THE BASE, SIR. WE DON'T KNOW WHAT THEIR OBJECTIVE IS, SIR!
THE PRISONER, DUCK AVENGER, HAS ESCAPED FROM HIS CELL, SIR... AND WE CAN'T FIND HIM ANYWHERE, SIR!
ALSO, I WANT TO INFORM YOU THAT THE BASE IS ALSO UNDER ATTACK BY A LARGE EVRONIAN CONTINGENT, SIR!

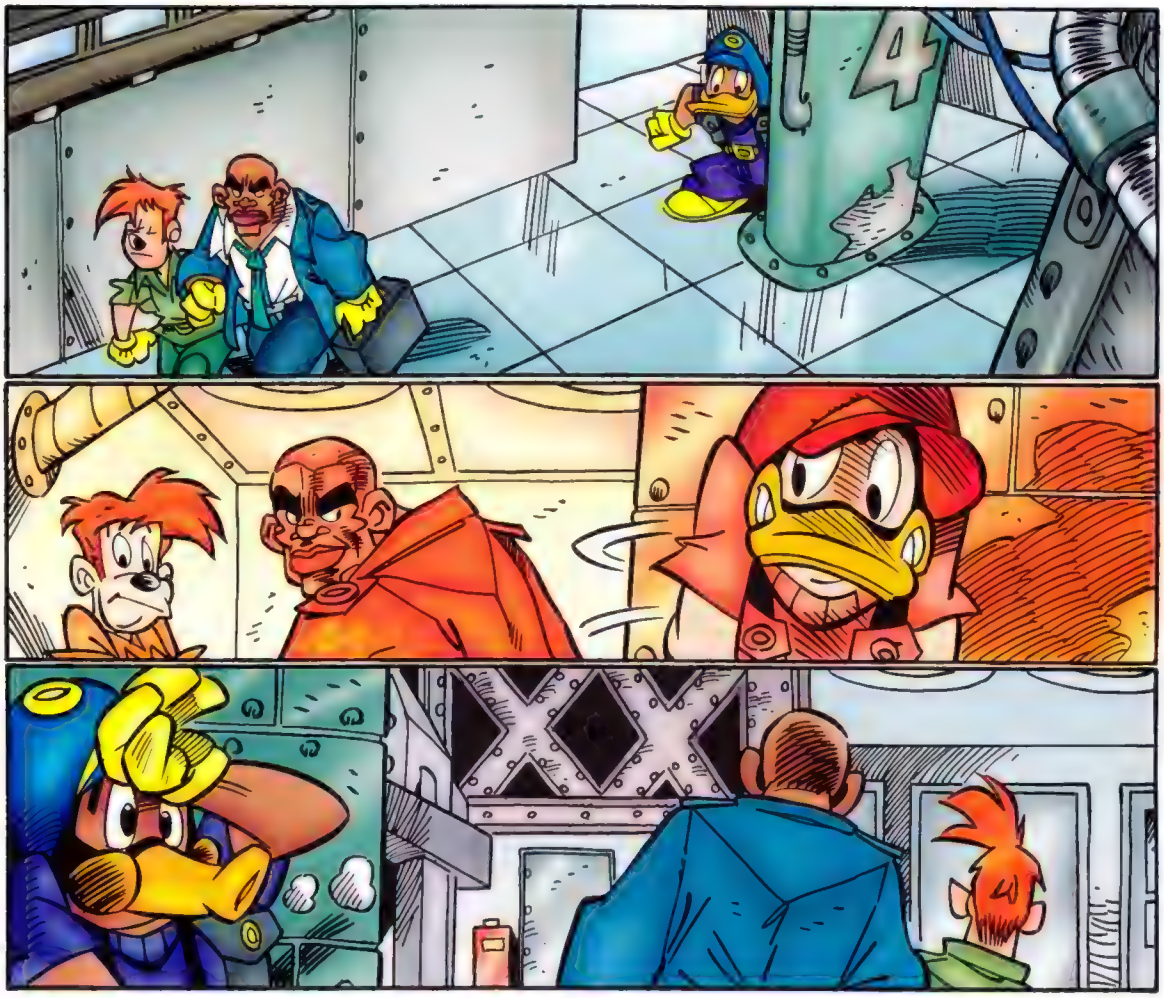



THE DUCK AVENGER, IMPRISONED! AN UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY WE MUST SEIZE!
I WAS SURE THAT THIS INFORMATION WOULD BE TO YOUR LIKING!

KABOOM
RETREAT! RETREAT! WE MUST THE DEFEND THE CYLINDER!
AAAH... MOMENTS LIKE THIS ARE WHY I LOVE MY JOB!


ATTENTION! RED ALERT! THE CYLINDER IS UNDER ATTACK BY EVRONIANS!
WAS THIS ALSO PLANNED?
NOT REALLY.
LISTEN! YOU MUST FIND GENERAL WISECUBE. HE'S THE ONE WHO HAS THE VIRUS.
GET HIM OUT OF HERE SAFELY!
AND YOU?
I'LL DO MY PART AS A GOOD SUPERHERO. I'LL STOP THE EVRONIANS... OR AT LEAST TRY!
ONE! I WANT YOU TO CLOSE THE TOP OF THE CYLINDER, IN ORDER TO PREVENT THEM FROM GETTING TOO FAR DOWN! I'LL FORCE THEM OUT!





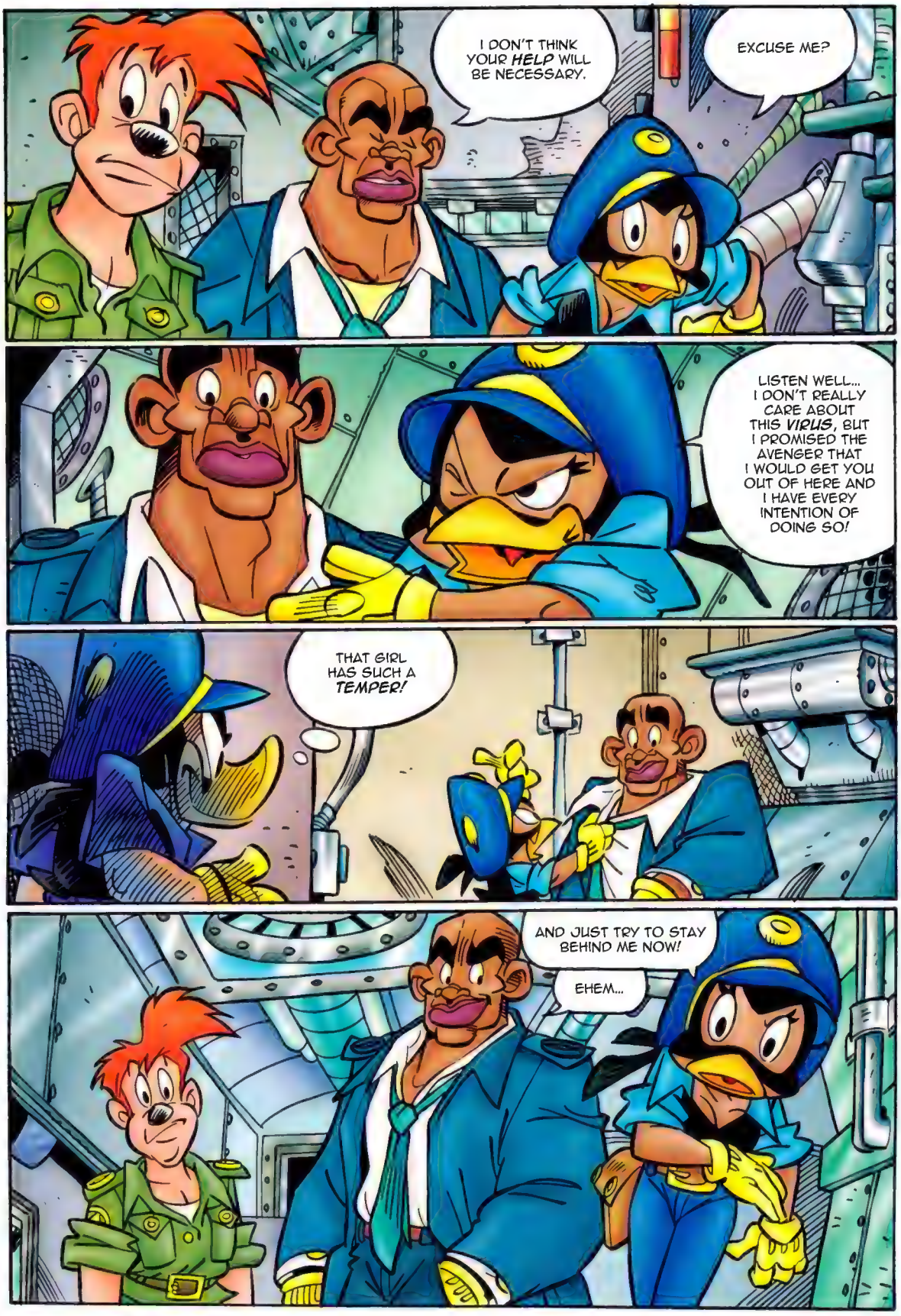
GENERAL WISECUBE?

DEPENDS. WHAT DO YOU WANT?

THE AVENGER SENT ME. I'M GETTING YOU OUT OF HERE.

I DON'T REMEMBER HAVING *INVITED* YOU, BOYS! SO PLEASE TRY TO LEAVE THE PARTY, *QUICKLY!*

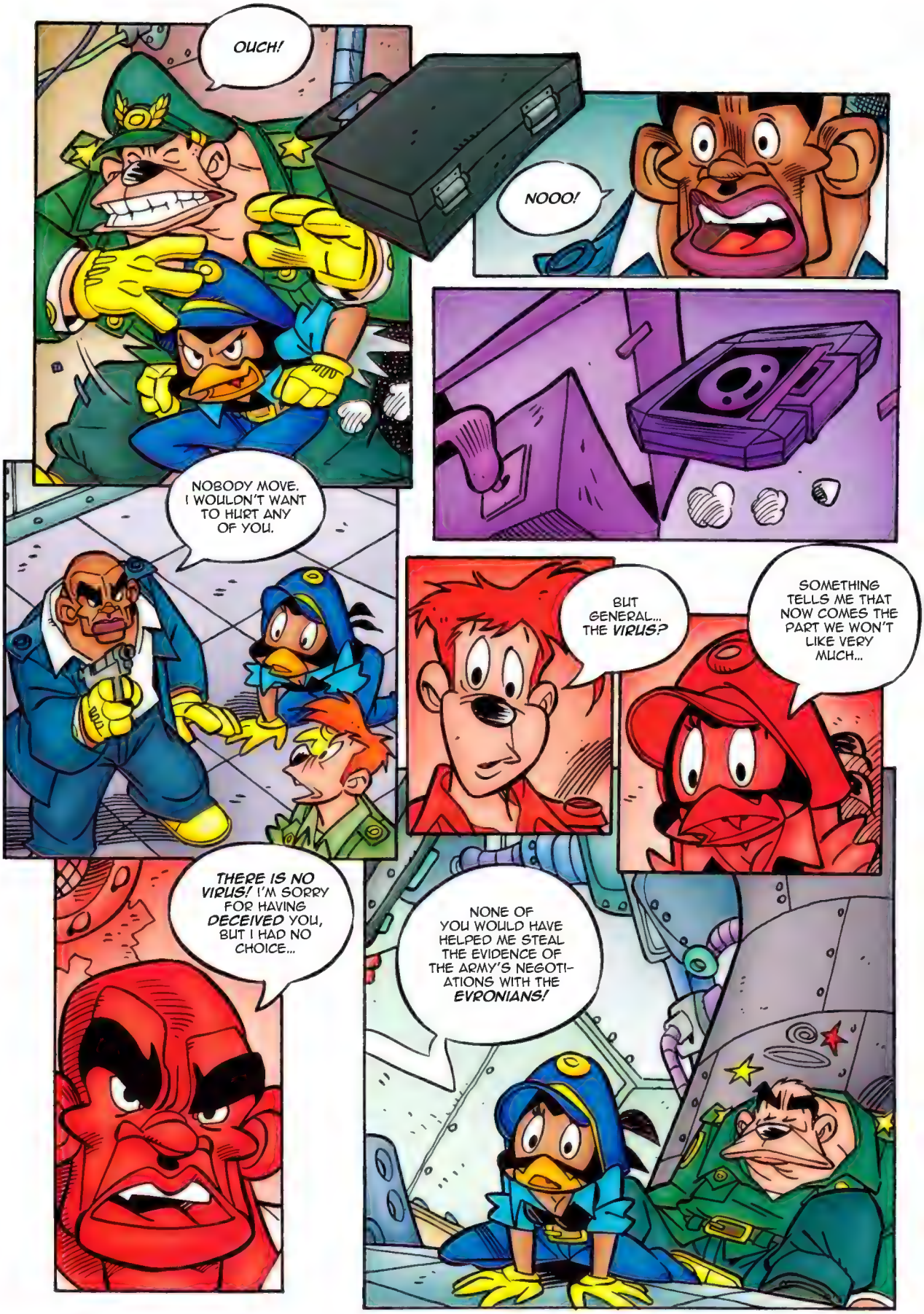
KAW


I DON'T THINK YOUR *HELP* WILL BE NECESSARY.
EXCUSE ME?
LISTEN WELL... I DON'T REALLY CARE ABOUT THIS *VIRUS*, BUT I PROMISED THE AVENGER THAT I WOULD GET YOU OUT OF HERE AND I HAVE EVERY INTENTION OF DOING SO!
THAT GIRL HAS SUCH A *TEMPER!*
AND JUST TRY TO STAY BEHIND ME NOW!
EHEM...

I WOULD LIKE TO POINT OUT THAT THE EXIT IS THE OTHER WAY!
GOOD! LET'S NOT WASTE ANY MORE TIME.
DO YOU TRUST HER, GENERAL?
SHE'S SHABBY ENOUGH TO BE THE AVENGER'S FRIEND.
ARE YOU GONNA MOVE THOSE LEGS... OR DO I HAVE TO CARRY YOU IN MY ARMS?
HA HA! WHAT A PRETTY PICTURE... IT'S ONLY MISSING THE DUCK AVENGER!
CLIC
THROW AWAY YOUR WEAPONS AT ONCE! YOU'RE ALL UNDER ARREST!

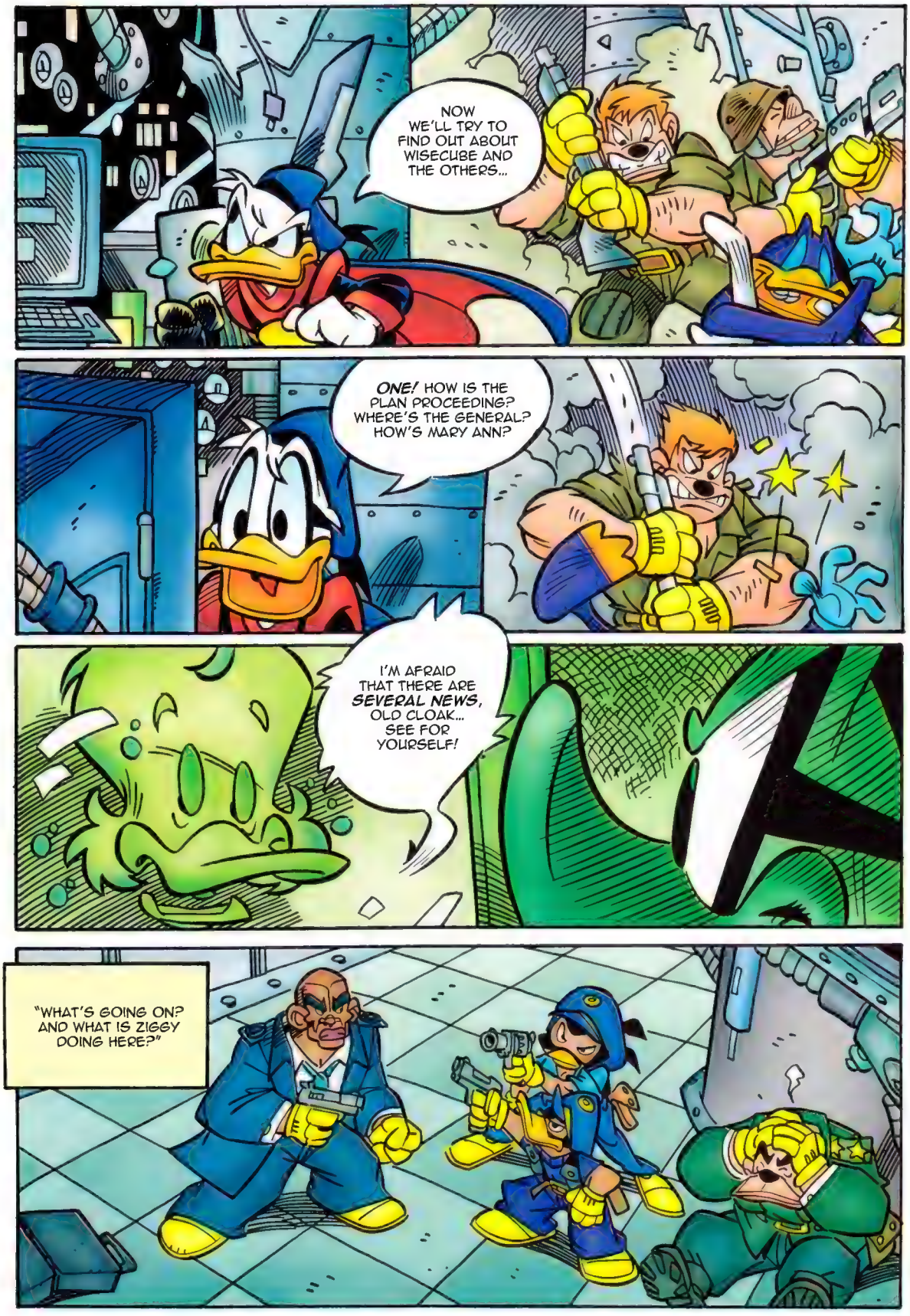
HEY! IF ANYONE HAS A GOOD IDEA, DON'T WAIT TOO LONG TO SUGGEST IT...
THIRD BATTALION! ATTACK!
HERE THEY COME!
BLACK ALERT! ALERT! EVACUATE BASE IMMEDIATELY!
BLACK ALERT! BLACK ALERT!
GOOD... LEAVE IT THERE, ON THE GROUND!

AND NOW... THE BRIEFCASE!
I WAS CERTAIN THAT, SOONER OR LATER, YOU WOULD MAKE A MISTAKE.
GENERAL WESTCOCK, THINK ABOUT IT! THAT VIRUS COULD SAVE ALL THOSE GUYS OUT THERE!
IT'S TIME TO SHOW WHOSE SIDE WE'RE ON!
I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT, SOLDIER.
WELL... THE ANTI-EVRONIAN VIRUS CONTAINED IN THAT BRIEF-CASE!
VIRUS?! AND WHO TOLD YOU THIS BEAUTIFUL FAIRYTALE?
GENERAL WISECUBE! EXPLAIN HOW...
I'LL EXPLAIN SOMETHING!


OUCH!
NOOO!
NOBODY MOVE. I WOULDN'T WANT TO HURT ANY OF YOU.
BUT GENERAL... THE VIRUS?
SOMETHING TELLS ME THAT NOW COMES THE PART WE WON'T LIKE VERY MUCH...
THERE IS NO VIRUS! I'M SORRY FOR HAVING DECEIVED YOU, BUT I HAD NO CHOICE...
NONE OF YOU WOULD HAVE HELPED ME STEAL THE EVIDENCE OF THE ARMY'S NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE EVRONIANS!

IT'S TIME TO DIVULGE THIS INFORMATION. PEOPLE HAVE THE RIGHT TO KNOW THAT A HOSTILE POPULATION WANTS TO DESTROY EARTH.
IT'S THE ONLY WAY TO CONVINCE THE GOVERNMENT TO FIGHT THE EVRONIAN MENACE.
NOW I'LL BE LEAVING, AND NONE OF YOU WILL TRY TO GET IN MY WAY. MY MISSION WILL NOT BE STOPPED!
I'M SURE THAT, IF YOU THINK ABOUT IT, YOU'LL AGREE WITH ME...
THIS IS JUST ANOTHER BETRAYAL, GENERAL. YOU'LL END UP IN FRONT OF THE COURT-MARTIAL!
BUT ABOVE ALL, YOU'VE BETRAYED THE TRUST OF YOUR MEN, YOUR FRIENDS AND THE ENTIRE NATION!
TO ME, BETRAYING THE NATION IS TO HIDE VITAL SECRETS! IN ANY CASE, I DON'T ACCEPT LESSONS...
YOU BETTER TAKE THEM INSTEAD... SHE'S ALWAYS BEEN THE BEST IN HER CLASS!
KEEP HIM AT GUNPOINT, ZIGGY!

LOOK, BOYS! NO HANDS!

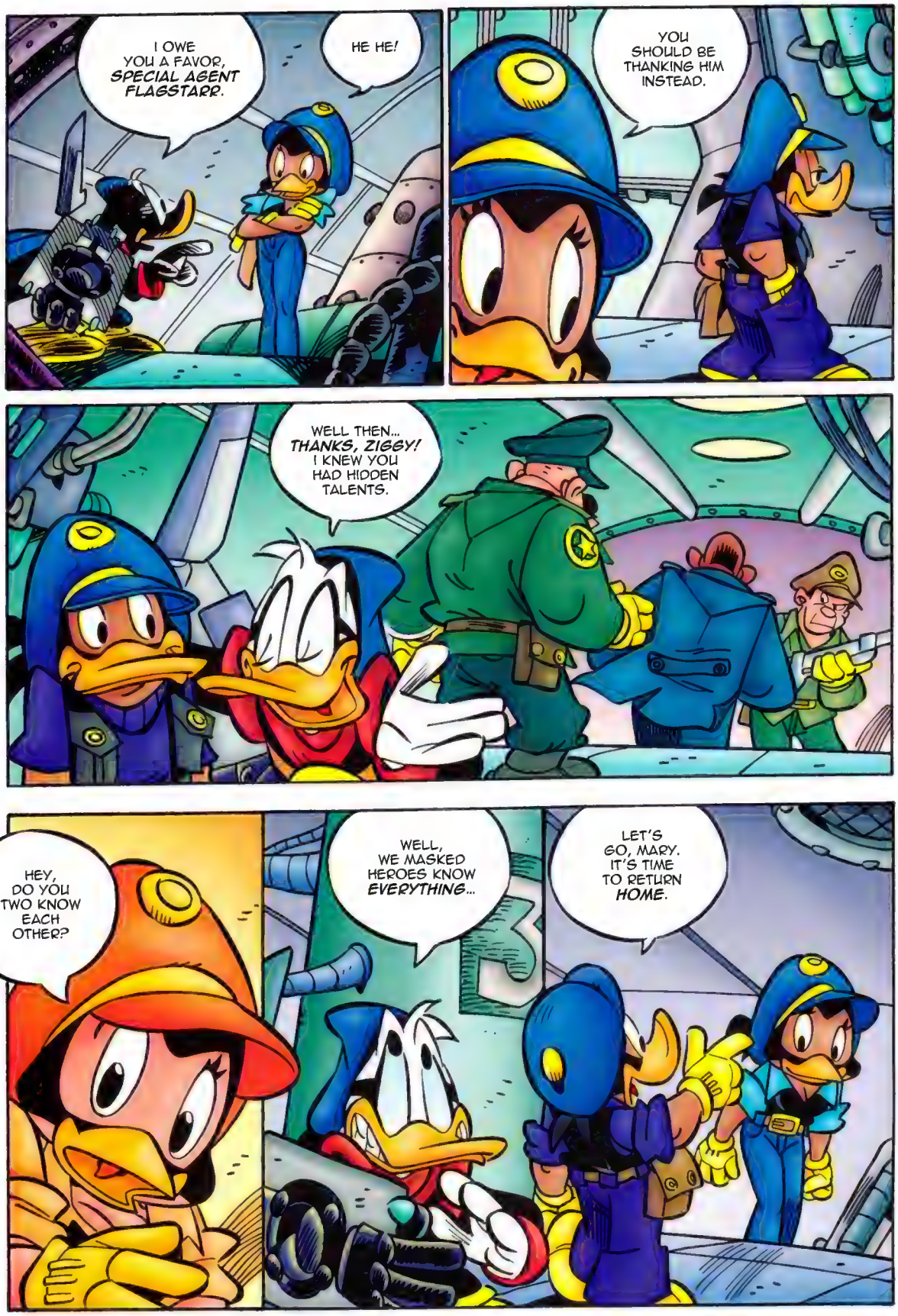

NOW WE'LL TRY TO FIND OUT ABOUT WISECUBE AND THE OTHERS...
ONE! HOW IS THE PLAN PROCEEDING? WHERE'S THE GENERAL? HOW'S MARY ANN?
I'M AFRAID THAT THERE ARE *SEVERAL NEWS*, OLD CLOAK... SEE FOR YOURSELF!
"WHAT'S GOING ON? AND WHAT IS ZIGGY DOING HERE?"

THINK ABOUT IT, KID... PEOPLE HAVE THE *RIGHT* TO KNOW ABOUT THE LOOMING *THREAT!*
THROW AWAY THE GUN, WISECUBE! YOU CAN'T MAKE IT THROUGH THE BOTH OF US!
WAIT, MARY! I'M INTERESTED IN WHAT THIS GUY HAS TO SAY!
ZIGGY! THIS IS NOT THE TIME TO HAVE DOUBTS ABOUT WHICH SIDE YOU'RE ON.
THE ARMY HAS BEEN PLAYING DIRTY FOR TOO LONG! NOW EVERYONE WILL KNOW! HELP ME GET THIS INFORMATION OUT OF HERE!
I'VE NEVER LIKED *SECRETS!* THEY DON'T DO ANYONE ANY GOOD!
THIS INFORMATION WILL CREATE *PANIC* IF IT'S SPREAD. AND IT WOULD BECOME *IMPOSSIBLE* TO ADEQUATELY REACT IF WE HAPPEN TO BE ATTACKED!
I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TRYING TO DO, ZIGGY, BUT TRY DOING THE *RIGHT THING!*
IF I WAS CONVINCED IT WAS THE *RIGHT THING,* I WOULD HAVE PROBABLY REMAINED AT THE *PBI!*

ALY
IT'S YOUR LAST CHANCE, KID.
THINK, ZIGGY.
OKAY, I'VE DECIDED...
... THROW AWAY THE GUN, GENERAL, AND HAND OVER THE DATA PACK!

NEVER COME AGAIN, ALIENS!
YOU'RE NOT PASSING THROUGH HERE!
TELL YOUR FRIENDS HOW EARTHLINGS FIGHT!
REOPEN THE CYLINDER, ONE, IT'S TIME...
... TO KNOW HOW THINGS REALLY ARE...
... BUT ABOVE ALL, IT'S TIME...
... TO SETTLE THINGS!

CONSIDER YOURSELF ARRESTED, WISECUBE.
DON'T WORRY TOO MUCH... I'LL BE OUT WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS!
BUT IT BACK IN THE ARCHIVES IMMEDIATELY.
I KNOW THAT YOU FOUGHT WITH COURAGE TO DEFEND MY BASE...
I ONLY DID MY DUTY AS A SUPER-HERO.
NOTHING PERSONAL?
NOTHING PERSONAL.


I OWE YOU A FAVOR, SPECIAL AGENT FLAGSTARR.
HE HE!
YOU SHOULD BE THANKING HIM INSTEAD.
WELL THEN... THANKS, ZIGGY! I KNEW YOU HAD HIDDEN TALENTS.
HEY, DO YOU TWO KNOW EACH OTHER?
WELL, WE MASKED HEROES KNOW EVERYTHING...
LET'S GO, MARY. IT'S TIME TO RETURN HOME.

YOU MADE THE RIGHT CHOICE, ZIGGY! THERE ARE THINGS THAT...
STOP IT.
I WOULD HAVE LIKED TO TELL YOU THAT I'VE LEARNED MY LESSON. AND THAT STATING TOMORROW I'LL RETURN TO THE PBI...
... BUT THAT'S NOT WHY I DECIDED TO STAY ON YOUR SIDE.
I SIMPLY COULDN'T FIGHT MY SISTER. HOW WOULD I EXPLAIN IT TO MOM?

LEVEL 64
EVRONIA
"THE ACCESS TO EVERYTHING THAT COULD TEACH YOU SOMETHING ABOUT HOW THE WORLD WORKS SHOULD BE UNLIMITED AND COMPLETE."
"ALL THE INFORMATION SHOULD BE FREE."
FINE

THERE SHE COMES! ON SCHEDULE AS ALWAYS.
A SHORT STROLL WITH A STOP TO BUY THE NEWSPAPER, THEN A DETOUR INTO THE SUPER MARKET...
...AND ALL OF THAT IN EXACTLY THIRTY-TWO MINUTES! EACH SATURDAY THE SAME CYCLE! LYLA LAY NO LONGER CONCEALS ANYTHING FROM ME!
YOU BRING SHAME TO YOUR FAMILY, BARNEY FUZZ. YOU SHOULD KNOW BETTER.
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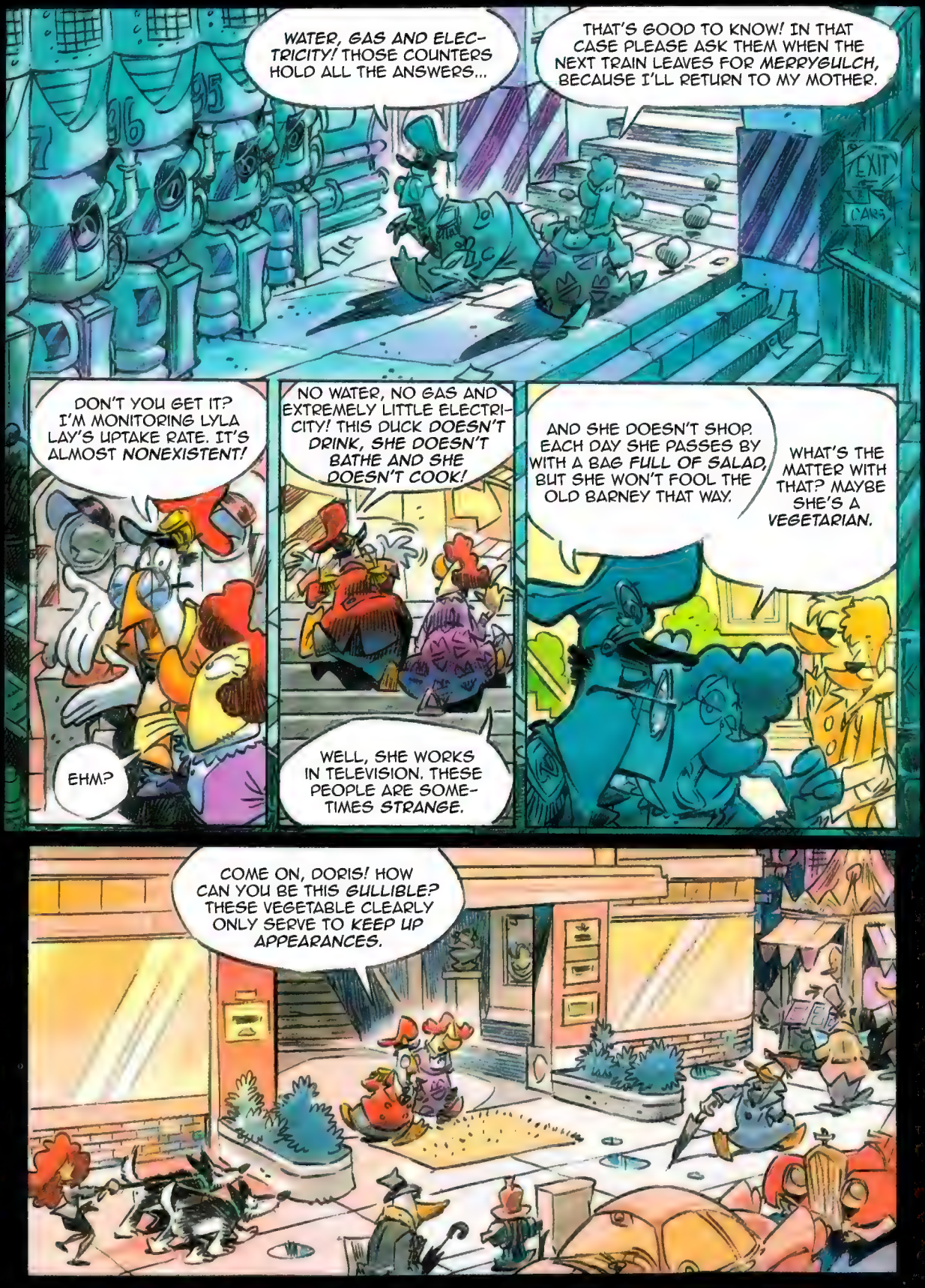
pletely
Personal
YOUR FATHER AND YOUR GRANDFATHER! TWO GENERATIONS OF FUZZES HAVE SERVED HONOURABLY AS DOORMAN IN THIS HOUSE...
...AND UNTIL RECENTLY YOU DIDN'T START TO SPIE ON MISS LAY.
I HAVE MY REASONS, DORIS! THIS DUCK ISN'T WHAT SHE APPEARS TO BE...
I HAVE ALL THE PROOF THAT LYLA LAY IS A ROBOT!

DON'T YOU START ON THIS AGAIN, BARNEY! ALWAYS THE SAME OLD STORY...
THE ANDROIDS ARE EVERYWHERE, DORIS. THEY ARE LIVING AMONG US. MONITORING US...
...AND ONE DAY THEY'LL QUIETLY REPLACE US WITH PERFECT REPLICATES!
GET A HOLD, BARNEY! YOU'RE READING TOO MANY COMICS!
THAT'S GRAPHIC NOVELS!
CAPTAIN GRONCH
La Pattuglia VERMIGLIA
Agente del-l'INAUDITO
BECAUSE OF THIS JUNK YOU'LL END UP GETTING FIRED!
I HAVE BEEN WATCHING THIS DUCK FOR SOME TIME AND I KNOW WHAT I'M SAYING. COME WITH ME!
WHERE ARE YOU TAKING ME TO?
I WANT TO SHOW YOU SOMETHING INTERESTING...


WATER, GAS AND ELECTRICITY! THOSE COUNTERS HOLD ALL THE ANSWERS...
THAT'S GOOD TO KNOW! IN THAT CASE PLEASE ASK THEM WHEN THE NEXT TRAIN LEAVES FOR MERRYGULCH, BECAUSE I'LL RETURN TO MY MOTHER.
EXIT
CARS
DON'T YOU GET IT? I'M MONITORING LYLA LAY'S UPTAKE RATE. IT'S ALMOST NONEXISTENT!
EHM?
NO WATER, NO GAS AND EXTREMELY LITTLE ELECTRICITY! THIS DUCK DOESN'T DRINK, SHE DOESN'T BATHE AND SHE DOESN'T COOK!
WELL, SHE WORKS IN TELEVISION. THESE PEOPLE ARE SOMETIMES STRANGE.
AND SHE DOESN'T SHOP. EACH DAY SHE PASSES BY WITH A BAG FULL OF SALAD, BUT SHE WON'T FOOL THE OLD BARNEY THAT WAY.
WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH THAT? MAYBE SHE'S A VEGETARIAN.
COME ON, DORIS! HOW CAN YOU BE THIS GULLIBLE? THESE VEGETABLE CLEARLY ONLY SERVE TO KEEP UP APPEARANCES.

LYLA LAY'S A ROBOT! I OBSERVED HER IN HER APARTMENT AND SAW HER WORKING...
"SHE WAS BUSY WITH SOME METALLIC PARTS. THEN SOMEONE RANG THE DOORBELL..."
"...AND SHE HID EVERYTHING BEHIND A MOVEABLE WALL."
A SECRET CLOSET?
YOU'RE STARTING TO GET IT. THERE'S SOMETHING HIDDEN BEHIND THAT WALL...
"...AND I'M GONNA FIND IT!"
I THINK YOU'LL END UP IN A FINE MESS FOR THIS.
THEY'LL AWARD ME WITH A MEDAL, DORIS! I'LL BECOME A HERO FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF AN ANDROID-COMPLOT!

CLAK
THERE WE GO!
APPEARANCES ARE DECEIVING, WOMAN.
THIS DOES APPEAR QUITE NORMAL TO ME, BARNEY
DO YOU HEAR THAT? SOUNDS HOLLOW!
TUNK TUNK
HOW DO YOU INTEND TO OPEN IT? THERE HAS TO BE A HIDDEN MECHANISM.
I'LL USE BRUTE FORCE! A SINGLE BLOW AND...
ERM...
M-MISS LAY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
I COULD ASK YOU THE SAME QUESTION.
BUT WEREN'T YOU OUT FOR YOUR STROLL?
IT STARTED TO RAIN, BARNEY. AND YOU HAVEN'T ANSWERED MY QUESTION.

YOU HAVE TO FORGIVE MY HUSBAND! I TRIED TO CONVINCE HIM NOT TO, BUT...
NO BUTS! THE MOMENT OF TRUTH HAS ARRIVED, LYLA LAY!
WE ARE NOT THE ONES OWING AN EXPLANATION. WHAT'S HIDDEN IN THERE?
...YOU... YOU... KNOW ABOUT IT? WELL... I... I CAN EXPLAIN THIS. BUT I BEG OF YOU...
...DON'T TELL ANYONE ABOUT THIS!
BZZZ
ZZAP
ULP!
!
FSSSSS
SSSSS
HAMSTERS!
I KNOW I'M NOT ALLOWED TO KEEP PETS IN THIS APARTMENT, BUT I HAD NO CHOICE!
MGT

SOME TIME AGO, A SINCERE HAMSTER-MANIA TOOK PLACE IN THE EDITORIAL OFFICE! EVERYONE HAD TO HAVE ONE.
...SO YOU DECIDED TO TAKE CARE OF THEM! YOU HAVE A HEART OF GOLD, MISS LAY!
BUT LIKE EVERY TEMPORARY FASHION IT FADED AWAY QUICKLY...
NO ONE WOULD HAVE EVER SEEN OR HEARD THEM IN THIS CLOSET. BUT NOW I DECIDED TO LET THEM OUT.
AND THUS RESPECT THE RULES OF OUR APARTMENT BUILDING! DID YOU HEAR THAT, BARNEY?
IT'S TIME TO FINISH WORKING ON A BIGGER CAGE AND PLACE THEM SOMEWHERE ELSE.
THE ADMINISTRATOR WON'T BE HAPPY ABOUT THIS...
OH, BUT HE'LL NEVER GET TO KNOW IT.
UNLESS HE SHOULD ALSO HEAR ABOUT A PARTICULAR STORY CONCERNING ROBOTS, SALAD AND PARTS OF METAL...

WAIT! I STILL HAVE TO ASK YOU MANY OTHER QUESTIONS, MISS LAY.
DON'T MAKE IT ANY WORSE, BARNEY. WE SHOULDN'T BOTHER HER ANY LONGER.
GOOD BYE...
HAVE A NICE DAY, MISS!
IT'S TIME TO RELOCATE THE MOUSIES! SOONER OR LATER IT JUST HAD TO HAPPEN.
IF THE CHRONO-COMMANDER KNEW I KEPT MY EQUIPMENT NEXT TO SOME RODENTS I'D BE DEEP IN SOUP.
AT THE RECEPTION LIFE RETURNED TO NORMAL. BUT THERE WAS ALSO SOMETHING POSITIVE...
THE ADMINISTRATOR HAS ARRIVED, DEAR.
...BARNEY STOPPED READING SCIENCE FICTION COMICS.
EHM... THIS GUY'S FACE LOOKS LIKE A FISH...
DOCTOR MACKEREL
The MASKED BASS
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